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CHIANG APPEALS TO NATION

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But he also seemed to see the end of Canton as

for the fight against aggression.

cheng in the South West Lanchow,

toreed to retreat or risk encircle- Communists.

corner of Klangsi Province. It

the Kwangtung Province bor-

der, all within an arc 140

miles North East of Canton.

It was believed the Reds were

living to take Chiennan, Lungnan

and Tingma as springboards for

ion enveloping movement almed

at entling the Canton-Hankow

ment. And Canton would be

has from Kwangtung were mov-

Chiang's statement was issued

at Chungking. He flew from

Canton to China's World Wat

li provisional capital yesterday

It was reported he made the

audden trip to keep the war-

lords of Western China from

making deals with the Reds.

Communist International first

robbed us of the land, people and

resources of Manchuria, then ex-

tended its dark, gloomy from

curtain to North and Central

again become the centre for the

The "China Mail" correspon-

dent reports there was heavy

fighting yesterday between Hsin-

feng and Anyuan in South Klang-

government hands. Government

troops suffered almost a thousand

and other supplies by air drops.

ensualties and received medical

China. Today Chungking

fight against aggression."

The Nationalist leader said:

North of Canton.

seclously threatened.

his Government's refugee capital. For he

said Chungking will again become the centre

The new Communist drive there was no big development in

was unleashed by the famed other fronts except further suc-

one-eyed General Liu Po- cess against the Reds South of

threatened three towns near Hostile To Reds,

railway at Kukong, 125 miles Chieppan areas are good natural

If the manocuvre succeeded, pointed out that the people there

Some 2,000 Communist aregu-Treorganishig and taking a respite-

ing toward a junction with Liu's | West of the Canton-Hankow Rail-

forces. Nationalist troops were way. There may be a full of a

sent to try to prevent this links few weeks before the Red columns

"In the past four years, the ported to have played a big part

Amoy.

large Nationalist forces would be were distinctly hostile against the

General Yu Him-mou, newly

appointed Commander-in-Chief

seho fought with the Communists

m South Kiangsi ia 1932-1936.

so d the Lungoon, Thirmin and

barriers against the invaders and

Observers believe that General

Lin Piao's Communist armies are

following their setbacks East and

The flercest fighting during

the past week took place in

North West Chins, were Gen-

eral Peng Teh-huai's Second.

Fourth and Sixth armies took

They suffered heavy casualties

and are now standing by about

for reinforcements from the

Government planes were re-

In South East Chine, General

Chen Yi's troops were said to be

attacking Tsingkiang, 45 miles

The Nationalists were prepar-

ing strong defences. North of

(Continued On Page 11)

Communist 63rd and 64th armies.

will be on the march again.

of Lanchow.

in this action.

North of Amoy.

for South China (Ewanglung)

Urges Fight To Victory Against "International" AMOY THREATENED

In Chungking, Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek appealed to Nationalist China today to fight to victory against the aggression of the "Communist International," and the Reds answered with a new push on uneasy Canton.

The Chinese Reds have unmasked themselves as international agents, the Generalissimo declared. He saw their power waning, as a strong arrow reaching the end of its flight.

Missing: One CATC Aircraft

A China Air Transport Corporation C46 was reliably reported as having been flown away from Ita owners in Canton. The same source added that the aircraft was on a trial flight when it made off without годавоп.

This started a number of theories on the surprise flight. One department has it that the pilot of the plane had voluntarily deserted to the Communists.

Another opinion is that the plane was stolen from its base in Canton by "Judas" and sold to the Communists for probably more than 30 pieces of silver.

Whichever version is correct, the CATC plane is still missing. It is known for cer-, tain there was no crack-up.

Steel, Coal Sudden Trip Shutdown Looming

Washington, August 25. A breakdown of the soft coal negotiations threatened the nation today with a simultaneous shutdown of its basic steel and coal industries with in the next month.

Government officials regarded this possibility as a grave threat to American 'economic stability. They said the potential effects of such a showdown would surpass even these of the prolonged labeen disputes of 1946,

Companies at that time were assured of tax rebates under wartime law and workers had si but the latter town was still in accumulated savings "from their wartine employment. Both sides believed they could afford strikes. This year, However, companies have no backing of orders which have "almost disappeared, war- yt, spokesman of the Ministry of time lax relates are wiped out Defence, said today the defending workers' savings are down,

Coal operators, led by the steel its own as the Communists have industry's "captive" mine repre- not vet massed a strong force to The sentatives, indicated that if stee! invade Kwangtung Teng added workers strike coal mines probably will be closed at the same time, President Truman, however, is determined to forestall

Soft coal operators and John L. Lewis, United Mineworkers Union president broke off negotiations yesterday until September 15. That is a day after the date set for a "strike or gettlement" showdown in --- United Press.

ridge of high pressure from the Phelfia arti-cyclone atretches Westwards secons Formusa and N Lucon into the Chica Ecc. To the N of this ridge low pressure persists over Japan and S and SE China with weak pressure gradients. Pressure is also low over the Pacific E of the Today's Porcenst:-Moderate SE winds. Pale with occasional brief morning.

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Britannia Rules The Waves



When these girls join the training ship "Foudroyant" at Portsmouth, Hampshire, they do almost everything the sallors do. They don't drink rum and they don't chew tobacco, but they ,do set to work in the decks, scrubbing them to traditional snowy white s. Here, left to right are Jean Watson, of London: Ma iret Bullen, of Torquay, Devonshire: Shella Bough, of Yorkswire: Ruby Tucker, of Suffolk: Mariata Cave, of Guildford, Surrey; and Margaret Davis, of Hford, Essex. They are Sea Rangers, taking a short holiday course on the "Foudroyant"- (AP Photo).

Acheson Calls For Bipartisanship In U.S. China Policy

Washington, August 24.6 In the effort to work out new Far Eastern policy, the United States hoped to achieve a bipartisan approach which would be untinged with the charges and counter-charges which have revolved around the State Department's handa bad beating at the approaches ling of the Chinese situation, Mr. Dean Acheson, Secretary of State, said today. "/

five miles from the city waiting At the same time, Mr. Acheson strongly defended the Department's White Paper on China, declaring that there is not art iota of truth in the numerous insinuations that important documents were omitted which, if printed, would have materially altered the record.

> Mr. Acheson particularly lashed and that numerous documents at charges by the Republican were omitted. Representative Walter Judd that the White Paper had been com-

At his weekly press conference, piled in a "dishonest" manner

Mr. Acheson specially charged that Mr. Judd had released a misleading summary of a military intelligence report which was not included in the White Paper. He sald the summary released by Mr. Judd was that of an individual officer and dif-fered considerably in toany important respects from the full text of the report, which Mr. Achesen promised to make available to reporters.

in a lengthy statement which he obviously hoped would put an end to the multitude of White, Paper, Mr. Acheson admitted that the document was

Two Respects

He said certain clear differ-

Actually, the important test of our attitude lies in the field of

Mr. Acheson said that, despite charges that the Department did | not understand the nature of the Chinese Communist movement he personally thought, "A fair reading of the White Paper will Page 2 convince that the Department har throughout understood the true Page 2 nature of that movement although various individuals in the Department and in its service have differed in their evaluation problem and the bost methods of

dealing with It." Declaring that argument about China, and particularly about past American policy there, could Page 8 be endless, Mr. Acheson said the important tell lay in action. He said the United States hoped new policy remains, within which would be included China, through the following steps:

Britain May Have To Cut Services

London, August 25. Britain may have to limit her social services if month's monetary talks Washington flop, according to an informant close to Labour Government.

The informant, who refused to be identified, said Labour leaders might have to start retrenchment dropping the Government's free medical rervigos, if the dollar-pound talks fail.

Britain's social services, together with food subsidies, cost one nuarter of the country's whole annual budget of \$12,000,000,000 Britons now can call on doctors without paying fees under the 13-month-old national health ser-· | vice, though each pays up to six

deciding whether to call a quick side the attack. election this year, or carry on until near the end of their five-year

He disclosed this as Paul G. Hoffman, American head of the European Co-operation Administration, began talks with British officials before the Washington parley on September 7.—Associarcd Press.

Japanese lo Promote

Tokyo, August 25. The government announced today that 24 Japanese businessmen have been authorised to visit at least 20 countries to promote sales of Japanese charges in connection with the exports and study market de-

The traders' trips, ranging from not a full, historical record, bu' one to six months, will be the said, "It is a fair, honest first use of Japan's foreign exchange for export promotion purpese since General Douglas MacArthur announced relaxations on foreign exchange controls.

Nearly half of Japan's first ences of opinion regarding the post-war overseas travelling saleswisdom of American foreign men will go to India and Pakispolicy in the Far East during the |ton reflecting 'he great hopes held last few years arose in two here for expansion of trade in that direction. The others will go to "Some of these differences re. South Best Asia countries, the

Barday On Bridge.

Cinema World. Hoffman, Wilson, Talk: On Dollar Problems.

W. Europe Urged To Write Own Fourth Point Programme. News Labour Troubles Forecas In Piniand Charles

Page 12 Finance And Commerce. Air. Shipping Mavements:

YUGOSLAVIA LASHES OUT AT ALBANIA

Belgrade, August 24.

Marshal Tito's government lashed out at the Communist regime of Albania tonight after telling: Russia to mind its own business and said that Yugoslavia was the defender of the interests of the Albanian people.

Premier Enver Hoxha of Albania, who sided with. Russia in the Tito-Kremlin dispute, is working against his own people, it was charged.

The Yugoslav government published what it called an explanation to Yugoslavia of two recent Albanian notes complaining of alleged frontier violations. Western diplomats said that Marshal Tito's "hands off" note to Russia, warning it not to meddle in Yugoslavia's internal affairs, was

the best he had ever sent. In effect, they said, Tito addre-red himself to all the Commu, st Parties in the world, telling them that the basis of the quarrel with Russin was whether the Kremlin had the right dictate to any party of any gov-

Tito also put the Russians on the spot, the diplomats said, by offering to send home all the Scylet citizens in Yugoslavia who

In Moscow, the authorities magazine "New Times" said that few diplomatic documents in recent times had such vast international importance as Russia's note o Tito threatening effective mensures unless alleged mistreatment of Russian citizens was

A London dispatch noted that Russian propaganda-agencies, apparently reflecting anxiety over far from Wall Street-at 17 Tito's successful definance of il Kremlin, were harping on the theme that opposition to Russian policy was apposition to peace. Air Force Pledge

Yugoslavia's air force, meanwhile, pledged its readiness to defend the country against at attacks.

The airmon sent a letter to shilling and eight pence to help Marshal Tito in which they said "Conscious of the situation The source said Labourite lea- are in, we are prepared to defend ders are waiting until the our socialist homeland against Washington talks are over before anyone, no matter from which

The air force message came at n time when tension between Yugoslavia and the Soviet dominated Cominform countries of Eastern Europe has reached a near-boiling point

Tito also received a message from the Military Political School of Knoj (Corps for National De-1) fence of Yugoslavia) where leaders of crack military units are trained.

in its lelegram Knoj said: new fortress of socialism, and beace,-Yugoslavia, which is now being attacked.

and we shall be ready to defend port agencies, without recourse to our fatherland, no mutter frin commercial representatives or whom, under your leadership."

United States.

-----HK-Tientsin

Shanghal, August 24. . Trade between the Communist-held port of Tientain, North China, and Hong. Kong is booming, according to local presa reporta today.

Trade Boom

Foreign shipping is carrying on between the two ports, and many Shanghai firms, are establishing branch offices in Tientsin.

They are also sending such things as high-priced fox furs and assorted articles to Tientain for export abroad.

The local importers and Exporters Gulid estimated that £230,000 worth of goods originally destined for Shanghal had been unloaded at , Hong Kong-Reuter.

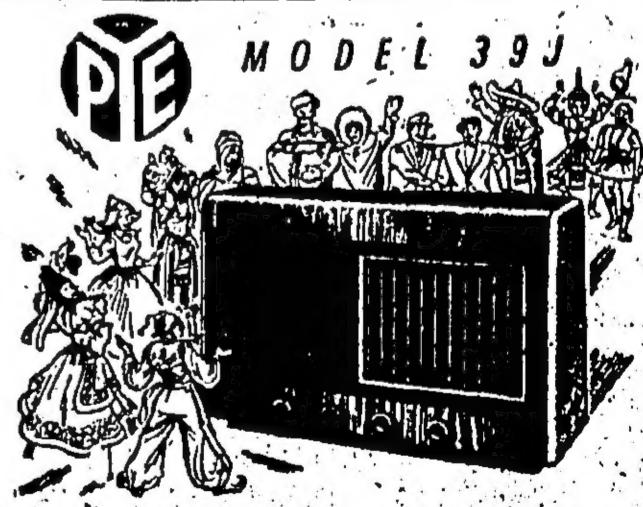
A special branch office of the embassy's commercial attache has been opened in the centre of New York's business district-not too | State Street.

Yugoslavia, after achieving a record volume of exports to the United States in 1948, is seeking to repiace the declining market for minerals with warlous lines of consumer goods. At the same time she is talking steps to help American firms seeking sales in Yugoslavia.

Several recent measures indicate the ways in which Yugoslavin is pressing its offer.s to expand trade with the entire Western Hemisphere, both exports and imports. The Yugoslavia exhibits at the annual Toronto international trade fair marked the first appearance by that nation's export productions in a Western Hemisphere trade exhibit since the 1939-40 New

York world's fair. In New York, B. Habianic, head of the branch office of the commercial attache, is trying to help American importers and exporters to trade with his country. He particularly aims to encourage American buyers to place orders "In the world has appeared a for Yugoslavia products according to design specifications set up with the order.

New Yugoslav regulations per-"We are proud to be members mit foreign man-facturers to deal of the Yugoslav Communist party directly with the government imagencies. This will relieve a situs-In New York, meanwhile tion under which the American Yugosinyla has loined other ombassy in Belgrade has been European countries in sacking swamped by requests for names to develop trans with the of sales agents in Yugoslavia,-Associated Press.



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RADIO DEPARTMENTA Gloucester Arcade

Moller A Mystery Lleutenant-General Tong Weiforce in South Klangst could hold Shanghai, August 25. whereabouts of the 500-ton British coastal steamer Edith Moller remained a mystery to the owners today nearly 48 hours after she was halted by a Nationalist warship while Li Chai-sum's

Officials of Mollers Shipping Company said they had no word from the ship's captain since he sent a message that he was stopped by (From Our Own Correspondent) Canton, August 25. Professor Li Pui-man, Dran of the College of Agriculture of the steel industry wage dispute. Lingnan University, was arrested by the headquarters of the Can-

Defence Commandant. Charges against him are not stated but are believed to be largely The professo, is the eldest son of General Li Chal-sum, Chairman of the Kuomintang Revolu- sailed away either by permis-At othe GMT (5 p.m. HKST) a narrow Pelping as an ally of the Com- Nationalist vessel. He added "bought a way" past Nationalist

> was not interested in politics. The detained professor has been on the faculty of Linguan University for many years and is well known in educational and missionary circles.

THAT'S OVERDOING IT A BIT

Los Angeles, August 25. 20, is suing her travelling sales- ment. The spokesman for the cither to remain there or take

The countries listed were the at the same apot the Philippines Japan, Mexico and captain sent a telegram that he fixed yet.—United Press and Capada - United Press and Vanied aid I passed the request Associated Press.

a blockade vessel in the Yangtse Estuary on Tuesday and ordered to anchor outside the three-mile limit. The official said however "I to the appropriate authority." assume she has gone." He Since then he said, he had heard respects. meant, the little blockade run- nothing about what has been which entered Shanghai done to help her. He said he did late to misunderstanding of fact United States, South America and

trying to run the blockade into Shanghai.

Whereabouts Of Edith

tionary Committee, who is in sion or by evasion from the three weeks ago said Mollers munist Party. However, friends of it was possible she might show warships. Professor Li said he had little up the river this afternoon or . A Mollers spokesman today connection with his father and she might have gone back said the Edith Moller was carrywhere she came from.

> A ranking British naval offi- running profitable. cor here had no information Meanwhile, the disappointment tain the vessel's release.

spokesman. likewise said . "we APL estimates between 1,00 know nothing" about the sloop and 1,500 Britons would like to Mrs. Nelta Marie Monroe, aged reports or Edith Moller's move- leave Shanghai for Hong Kong,

The British Naval Office stend of Hong Kong.

man husband for divorce, charg- British Information Office had no passage from the Crown Colony ing that he committed 68 acts of information beyond the fact that for the United Kingdom adultery with 11 women in 12 the Edith Moiler was stopped There have been a number of cities of six different nations dur- and warned by a Nationalist ves- teports that some British lines ing their eight years of marris sol that she could not enter the might try to put a repairmillon river. He assumed she was still ship into Shanghai to take forsign nationals out via Hong Kong United States, Australia, the A. Mollara official | said The bull apparently nothing has been

ing about 500 tons of general cargo which would make blockado

regarding reports received in was keen among Britons in

three weeks ago, probably warship went to the scene. I field of judgment, where enjoined Press. Reports without confirmation, no doubt-will continue to differ.

London that the British sloop Shanghai when the American Hart had been despatched to President 'Lines announced' the the scone in an effort to ob- General Gordon probably would go from Shanghai to Tokyo in-

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ARGONAUT DELAYED DAY AT KARACHI

Personalia

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Woolam, Mrs. M. A. Squires, Mr. and Mrs. The Jeng-mong, Mr. and Mrs. J. Barrett, Mrs. M. L. Richardson, Messrs. E. Bruce, T. A. Najar, T. Soule, G. W. Howitt, T. M. Taylor, C. Brock, Tang Jit, N. C. Dunneliff, A. E. Brown, A. J. Storeide, R. D. Osborne, and Wei Halung, were among those who left the Peninsula Hotel on Wed- tage of the early delivery of

Among the new arrivals at the Peninsula Hotel on Wednesday were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Tyrell, Mr. and Mrs. Middleton, Messrs, Shalom, E. Cunto, J. E. Howell, H., W. Arnott, Y. C. Chang, J. Hopen and N. M. Pascal.

Among the passengers who arrived here by CPA yesterday from Bangkok, Singapore and Manlla were Messrs, Chor Howking, William McGleughlin, Luis Peralta, Koo Han and Wong Ping.

Passengers who left by CPA Tre Yem-Hua, Gan Mendoza, Yu Tiong, Uy Chim-bing and Teng

Vessels For Sale In Pl

The Philippine Consulate in Hong Kong announced yesterday that it has received a notice of bids for vessels to take place a the offices of the Republic of the Philippines Shipping Administration, Rooms 403-407, Customs Building, Manila, at 10 a.m., or September 3.

The vessels advertised for sale are all equipped with Buda engines, Prospective buyers or participants in the bids may appoint their respective representatives to make a survey and inspection of the vessels at any time before the date of the bids.

Further information and details tained on application to the General Manager, Shipping Administration, Rooms 403-407, Customs Bullding, Port Area, Monila.

MIDINETTES WANT RISE

Paris, August 24. The Communist-led Midinettes days. (Seamstresses) Union today presented wage increase claims to the French Ministry of Labour.

The Midinettes, who went on strike before the nutumn openings of the fashion houses, have threatened to strike ugain if their claims are not met .- Reuter.

sor liouse (3rd floor) will be and Mr. Yu (Class II (II)) took closed from 9 a.m. today to 9 up economics at Pembroke Cola.m. on Monday.

to begin service to Singapore on Saturday. Mechanical-trouble caused the delay at Karachi, it was stated. The airliner will now arrive in the Colony tomorrow.

ing-bont.

The British Overseas Airways Corporation took advanita new Canadian-built Rolls-Royce four-engined Argonaut nircraft to introduce them on the United Kingdom-Far East

The Argumut delayed at Karachi is the first of the fast luxury aircraft to be placed in

Charged With Possession Of Arms

Nine men were brought before Mr. Hin-shing Lo at Cenesterday for Manila included tral yesterday, and were Mossrs Alberto Gan Mendoza, charged with possession of

> Defendants were Au- young Yu-hon, uged 18, Au-yeung Chik, nged 22, Au-young Cheung, a ged 20, Au-young Hei, aged 16, Auyoung San, nged 28, Leung Tsin, aged 22. Au-young Fat, aged 22. Fung /Kwok-wing, aged 27, and Young Sze, aged 56.

Defendants were said to have kept a Smith and Wesson revolver, with 12 rounds of ammunition, and an expanded cartridge ease on the roof of 243 Lockhart Road.

Third, fourth, and fifth defendant were further charged with shooting at one Yeung Hin-sang at Leighton Hill Road near the Lee Theatre on August 3, with intent to cause grievious bodily

First, third, and fourth defendant were charged with robbing one Lau Ching of \$50 in local currency, U. S. \$40, one leather purse, one Parker propelling pencil, and one gold ring, on July 23, at Broadwood Road near Link regarding the bidding may be ob- Rond. They were lalso charged with robbing one Wong Hongso of a ladies' wrist watch and one gold ring on the same occa-

First, second, and sixth defen-Po-yee of a ladies' gold ring August 5 at Lader, Street. The case was remanded for two

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EXAM RESULTS

Two local students have passed the Oxford and Cambridge Universities' examinations.

They are Mr. Oswald Cheung and Mr. Yu Kwai-ku. Mr. Cheung (Class II) studied law The Education Office at Wind- at the Oxford University College, lege, Cambridge University,

BOAC's Argonaut luxury airliner, the Corporation's first four-engine land plane to be introduced to the UK-Far East run, is being delayed at Karachi, it was learned yesterday. The Argonaut was to arrive in Hong Kong today

A second Argonaut was due to leave London for Tokyo yesterday, Both services will operate once weekly in each direction. The total flying time from London to Hong Kong is three deys compared with the five days taken by the present Plymouth flying-boats. The service to Tokyo will take four days comparen with the present six-days by 9y.

Night Stops

Return services from Hong Mong. will leave every Tuesday. arriving in London on Fridays, and from Tokyo every Thursday, arriving in the . United Kingdom on Mondays. On both homeward services, night stops will be made at Rangoon, herachi and Cairo.

The Argenaut, pressurised and all conditioned for the comfort of Det pussengers flying at a high altitude, can accommodate 40 passengers, in addition to mail and cergo, an operating crew of four -two pilots, a navigating officer and radio officer-two stewards and a stewardess.

It is a 30-ton monoulane and has a maximum cruising speed of 206 miles an hour at 20,500 feet at a mean weight of 70,400 lbs. Its normal take-off weight is

A feature of the airliner is a comfortable semi-circular lounge with accommodation for six passengers seated around a table.

The Short Plymouths now operating on the BOAC route to hang was yesterday given the the Far East will be withdrawn with the introduction of the Ar-

Amendment Of Stamp Ordinance

Sub-section 3 of Section 4 of dant were charged with robbing the Stamp Amendment Ordinone Ng Kam-chuen 101 \$15, one ance, 1949, provides that the ingold ring, and one metal wrist creased duty is payable on Bills watch, and with robbing Leung of Exchange and Promissory had lost some money. A report Notes drawn and stamped tween January 1 and May 1, 1949, but negotiated after the latter date, according to an official statement yesterday.

The affect of this amendment

. Bills of Exchange drawn within the Colony between the mentioned dates and which had not been negotiated within the Colony before May 1, 1949, are liable to additional stamp duty to bring the total amount payable up to 15 cents for every \$500 or part

Promissory Notes drawn within the Colony between the same dates and which had not been negotiated before May 1, 1949, should now be produced at the Stemp Office for further stamping in order to bring the total amount payable up to 15 cents for the first \$100 or part thereof and to cents for every subsequent \$100 or part thereof.

Merchants Fined At Central

by Mr. Hin-shing Lo Central At about 7 p.m., as the ship was yesterday for attempting to sailing down the Pearl River, it export from the Colony un was fired upon from the shore, manifested cargo.

The cargo, which consisted of ploded shead of it. miscellaneous goods, was found Quards on board the ship re- day of Cesar Ibalio Aglugub on board the ss. Mul Nam in turned fire. The Chinese gun-seaman, of ms. Bradeverett, and Victoria Harbour, and was des- boat, which was following close Miss Ho Sook-chan, of 3 Main tined for Syntaw.

tined for Swatow.

Young Ping-nam, Hon He-long, Mo Shit-hing, and Wong Shulchaw were each given the option of a fine of \$850, or four months. Ng Kyok-wah was fined \$800.

The Magistrate said that last named defendant was fined \$50 iess than, the others because he was isonest and readily admitted that his share of the goods were ordered to be a floor.

The goods were ordered to be a floor of the Ashley Hond, first infoor.

The goods were ordered to be returned to their respective

The goods were ordered to be returned to their respective owners.

Revenue Inspector W. G. Humphrays, prosecuted.

During the rationing period from Swaipw yesterday afternoon, the population, in that port remains ports, was married to Mr. C. As the Communist armies are ing month, Rangoon rice will be insided in lieu. of Al Broken, stone catty a person at 50 cents, a parson at 50 cents, a parso



Mr. and Mrs. J. Levy, who were married at the Registrar Office yesterday. The bride is the former Miss Joyce Dowek. Mr. Levy is Director of Strong and Company Limited. (Francis Wu's Photo.)

Demanding

Shum, aged 32, unemployed, of 464 Nathan Road, second floor, was found guilty by. Mr. J. Wicks at Kowloon yesterday on a charge of demanding \$40 with menaces from a congee shop master, Lam Tung-lin, on July

lective Sub-Inspector W. J. Wall, prosecuting, stated that at about 11 a.m. on July 30, defendant went into a congee shop at 390 Reclamation Street, representing himself as a clerk in the Chinese Chief Inspector's Office of the Health Department.

Toung Amah Sentenced For Theft

A young amah, Wong Hungoption of a fine of \$40 or three weeks by Mr. F. X. d'Almada

been in her employment for the the following day. last 14 months.

On August 7, continued DSI her employment without letting police. her employer know.

Mistress then found that she

was made to the police and ion August 17 the amah was arrest-

she was then released. On August 23, defendant was

later confessed to the theft. Mr. F. X. d'Almada at Central in-law. on a charge of obstruction by loi-

struction in the Central District. One, defendant who was absent had his ball of \$25 estreated.

Mine Blast Ahead Of Lung Men

A mine exploded ahead of the as, Lung Men one and half hours infter it left Canton for the colony yesterday. The mine is believed to have been planted by bandits who intended to rob the the magistrate.

The st Lung Men sailed from Five merchants were fined Canton at 5,30, p.m. yesterday. and a mine simultaneously ex-

Defendant told a shop foki that he had received a letter from the office, complaining that the master of the congee shop, Lam Tung-lin, was operating an unlicensed food shop. The shop foki then told defendant to call at the shop at a later hour, as the master was not in.

Defendant came to the shop again that evening, the prosecution continued. There he met the hand-writing expert was yescomplainant Lam Tung-lin, and terday afternoon subjected to at Central on charges of lar- Lam's brother-in-law, Wan Kain- Intense cross-examination by ceny by servant and with giv- ling. After a while, they went to the defence during the coning the police talse informa- a nearby cufe, where the matter of the letter was discussed. De-Detective Sub-Inspector D. fendant offered to destroy the McLeod told the court that de- letter on payment of \$300, Finalfendant was employed by a wo- ly, defendant agreed to accept man, Mui Hong-fong, at 62A the sum of \$40, Complainant Robinson Road. Defendant had promised to pay the money on

In the meantime, the complain-McLeod, defendant suddenly left ant reported the matter to the

Goes To Shop.

The prosecution further stated at about 3 p.m. on July 31, and Defendant told the detective that defendant went to the shop that she had gone to Canton, collected the money from com-Nothing was found ion her and plainant. As he waiked out of the shop, two detectives, who vere waiting outside, arested re-arrested and admitted that him. The \$40 were found in his she had not gone to Canton, and possession,

Further evidence was yesterday Fifteen Chinese men was yes- given by the shop foki, complain-terday fined \$10 or 10 days by ant, and complainant's brother-

Defendant, in his defence, said Inspector H. B. Dewar said that that he was a building contracthe defendants were found tor, An old timber broker, Ho loitering on the pavement and Chun, borrowed \$50 from him, leaning against wall, causing ob- and promised to repay the sum within two or three weeks. July 29, he asked Ho for money, but the latter said he wanted to go to Canton. Ho then took him to the complainant's shop.

> Defendant went on to say that he heard Ho sald to complainant "You owe me \$40, and I like you to return this sum to Li Shum (defendant)".

Lam agreed with the transfer of debts, and asked defendant to call of the shop the next morning for the money, defendant said.

Sentonce will be given today by

bohind of the ship and acted as Street East, Shaukiwan, Witnesses

re no The forthcoming wedding was amnounced of Glorge William Mansfield, RN, of HMS Tamar and Miss Denire Chan, of 30 Hennessy Road, second floor, Francis Kavier Marcal, clark, of 180 Prince Edward Road, second floor, and Miss Helen Rew Rocha, of 16 Ashley, Hoad, first floor.

Perjury Charge

uncommon case came before Mr. J. Wicks at Kowloon 'yesterday brought up" by DSI Wall, who charged Wong Sing, aged 45, a car driver, with perjury.

When defendant pleaded not guilty to the charge, hearing was fixed for September 12 at 2.80

The charge against Wong contains that he had gone on the witness stand before Mr. Blair-Kerr and had stated that he (defendant) had paid \$15 as fine to the Court, whoreas in fact he had not.

Before Mr. Wicks yesterday. Wong submitted that he had paid the amount of \$15 to the Court in return for which he had received a receipt which he had orn up and thrown away, after having appeared for the first ime before Mr. Blair-Kerr.

Continuing, defendant submitted that when he was brought to Court to face Mr. Blair-Kerr again, he had stated that the sum, for the fine had been paid. Nevertheless, after his second appearence before Mr. Blair-Kerr, he had paid another \$15. making, the sum paid in court

In court yesterday Wong strongly reaffirmed that he had paid the first time and that what he had said in the withess box on the second occasion he was brought before Mr. Blair-Kerr was correct and not false.

Fingerprint Expert Questioned

A police fingerprint and tinuation of the trial of Kul

Accused was charged, before the Pulshe two counts each of letter demanding money with menaces and possession of a letter demanding

money with menaces. Detective Sub-Inspector, Chan Cheong-chuen, attached to the Police Identification Hursau, testified as to the similarities. in characteristics and individuality of Chinese characters in the threatening letters received by complainant in the case and certain documents found in the

house of the accused." He was then cross-examined by defence counsel. Mr. Percy Chen, at length, in this connec-

Kui is alleged by the prosecution to have written two letters in June this year to Cheung Yikchi, a manager, demanding \$20,-000, Accused who speaks the Shanghai dialect, is further alleged to have later fallen into a trap laid by the police when he went to collect the parcel supposed to contain the money lald by complainant at the allotted spot in a hiliside.

jury of six men and a woman. Mr. A. Hooton, Crown Counsel, assisted by Dejective Sub-Inspector H. Tylor, is prosecuting. Mr. Chen for the defence is instructed by Mr. P. J. Uriffiths. The trial adjourned until 10

The case is being heard before

n.m. today, when the case for the defence will begin.

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OF DEFENCES NEW TERRITORIES

(Editor's Note: The following is our reporter's impressions of a tour of the border areas yesterday. It is not intended as an overall picture of the Colony's defence measures in the New Territories, but simply as a description of current conditions around the border. It is known that plans to meet any omergency have already been made, and the situation portrayed here equid be changed overnight at the decision of Service chiefs.)

Within the next few months, Hong Kong will be the vital "testing ground" of the Red attitude and policy towards the Western powers. This Colony might also be involved in a shooting war in its own defence, and it most certainly will be involved in a war of nerves, once the Communists are on the border zone.

Yesterday, the "China Mail" was taken an an extensive tour of the New Territories, including the restricted border zone, to observe some of the defence activity, and see the geographical problems which the military must deal with to insure a successful defence, if it is necessary.

passable rice puddies.

Within the past two months,

both the military and police.

pairing roads.

military forces.

some of its men. I

houses, or even troops.

the bridge.

of Chinese each day.

terpreters.

Police Co-operation

"maginot line" defence if they

When one considers that even

during peace time, the police have

never been able to shut out completely pirate bands operating from bases like Deep Hay, it can be imagined how effective a haras-

sing, behind-the-lines operation

would be to a unified defence line

to complete the operations they think necessary to defend the

Colony in the face of any even-

flowever, one thing is quite certain from yesterday's tour! the military is working at top speed

tacks from guerilla bands.

on the border zone.

No Clear-Cut Border

But in spite of all this prepara-

tion, in the border region itself,

restricted to Europeans unless

To understand the signifigure of today's preparations. it is necessary to understand the came of Hong Kong's fall in: 1941.

The Colony's strougth and weaknesses were underscored in last war, and in 17 days l the Japanese, attacking with 40 000 men, overron the Colony still-like telephone poles, and redefended by about 8,000 men.

The loss of the Colony's only l airfield on the mainland, and the all 16 police stations in the Terfood and water shortness quickly ritories have been connected by proved declaive; a bastion which radio-phone, and the Auster obit was Prought could hold out for servation planes now have two-

Today, though the Colony's only !for Auster observation planes are In operation, to addition, a site modate the rapidly expanding for a new air post at Ping Shan ! has been surveyed, and constructhen week is expected to begin in reveral weeks.

Water, Food Problems

The water and food problems have lit least been improved nince 1941; there are new water reservoir tanks, and large niceks of food have been stored i for Hong Kong's population.

But because the defence of Victoria and Hong Kong is still · dependent upon the successfuldefence of the leased territories, tween the Territories and China, it is vital to know what the is often only 10 feet wide and one military is doing in preparation tor mry eventual attack.

In the New Territories, scores of tanks, trucks, jeeps and patrol j ears are parked in open air pools, covered with earros top-

pings. camps, non-existent several weeks ago, have sprung Kong police on one ride, and up on scraggy knolls, unlikely- one rather disconsolate looking bordering acres of rice paddles.

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Orders For HKDF

mandant, Hong Kong Defence Force.

Holiday: BRDF Headquarters, Lower thert Road, will be closed on Tuesday, August 10, 1949.

Dutten-Officers: . (n) Lleut, Col. J.G. Fisher, MitE, Royal Irish Fusifiers asat med the appointment of Benier Bins Offer (G80 t) HKDF with effect from August 19, 1949. (b) Major B.G. Puch, Hoyal Welch Fusillers, ceased to cerry out the duties of Benior Staff Officer HKDF with effect from August 19, 1949 and assumed the appointment of Adlutent. Hong Kong Regiment, with effect

Depot Training-week ending Septemer 3, 1949; Hquads Al, Ac. A7-Alming 111-Elevation table and aiming down. Miniature Range-Aiming down. Squed A2-Holiday, Squad A3-Aiming IV--Wing, Ministure Range-Wing, Squade A4. A10-30 sards range-serving, Squad A5-Moliday, Squad A8-\$if yards runge intenduction shoot, Squad A11-Holiday, bound A12-Holt manipulation. Mininture range-Grouping, Squad A18-Holfoler. Squada A14, A16-PWT4. Halt Special Service to commemorate Small dirt roads, constructed nunipulation, Miniature range-Compessduring the past weeks, have been tion, Squad A16-Hollday, Squad At !built to facilitate the movement Loading and unfoading, Alming II-Other of tarks and trucks to the border targets and sightsetting, Squad Alb. region, a vital consideration be-Stripping, assembling, sightsetting, care cause they isleict the almost imand cleaning. Leading and unloading. Sound 1815.-Elevation table and aimfair down, Aiming IV-Wind, Squad Btt .-On almost every roadside army Holiday, Squada 1917, 1918-Bott manipulation, Europhouting, Notes, (1) All te minumication construction units squade will carry out 10 minutes dilli are feverishly working to set up prior to commencing weapon training except when firing on the 30 yards range. (2) Squad A18 is commencing training based on the pumphlet infantry Training

the Bayonet 1948. Pepai ... Zerolng of Rifles: Because it the large number of recruits it is becoming increasingly difficult to get the rifles three menths was quickly con- way radio communication with of each squad seroed in the time awaitable on any one night during which the sound is firing on the 80 yards range. Long-described storehouses and it is suggested that individual recruits hit held is still grossiy innelequate | menufacturing buildings are be- who have their own transport, may like for modern air formations, two ing converted by the army into to seport individually to the 80 yards temperary air strip, one for barracks, and army engineers are range. Remedy Road, before the normal Spillate dighters, and the other contructing make-shift Quonset time of training on the night that their huts and fropleab tents to accomthe range with the rifles from 4,30 pm.

Vol. 1, Infantry Platoon Weapons-Rifle

have now been 'made for the following Offence. Even the Governor's mansion in ricruits start training. They are posted the Territories is to be used by to the following aquad and will parade the police for special courses for at 11Q 5,30 p.m. on the day and date stated:-Monday, Abgust 29, 1940, Squad Ath C. Abdullah, A.J. da Souss, 11:0. Bliva, Y.R. Chan, I.W. Ynu, J.R. McAdsland, A.N. Thomas, C. Barelay, 11.11.

Amann, V. Young. giments Some 72 members of the Reylment paraded at Stonecutters Range last police-escorted, there are no per- Sunday, August 21, 1949 to earry out inmanent defence structures; in treduction of live firing with the LMG. fact, there is no clear-cut border. The next firing on Stoneeutters will be by platoons on Sunday, September 11, 13, The Shum Chun river, re- and 25, 1919, Full details will be pub-

cognised as a dividing line be- listed later. Hong Kong Regiment: (a) Trainingweek ending September 8, 1949. No 1 Pistoon-Holiday. No. 2 Pistoon-Mechan- followtfoot deep. On the international lirm LRG (Bren), IT Vol. 1 Pamphiet foot path, which runs for about | No. 2 Lesson Z. Recognition and descripfour miles, there are no block- tion of targets. No. 3 Platoon-Mechan- Bertember 4 to September 10, Wangbal lum LMG (firen). IT Vol. 1 Pamphlet "A" Division, .. No 2 Lesson 2. Recognition and descrip-The main road route to China tion of targets. (b) Drill. Each platoen patrolled by half a dozen Hong will carry out 10 minutes drill prior to

Home Guard Training-Thursday, September 1, 1949; (a) Parade, Squada will tooking hillsides, and in valleys Chinese Customs man on the parade as follows:-HGI, HG2, HG3-"A" Division; Big Wave, Central Division other. A steady stream of small HO HKDP. HG4 and HGB-KCG. Programme-Rifle course, 30 yards range... Chinese traders, usually carrying their wares in small wicker bas-Transport-Transport will be availwhile at the places of parade to take perkets, pass endlessly, after cursory sonnel to Kennedy Road and Kai Tak

inspections of their baskets, over Ranges respectively. name for the old Harcourt Cheere Clob China Divisions; Sheko, Eastern and But the Hong Kong police are more than bury registering and The Centre provides Mess and Canteen ECOB Divisions. facilities for members of all branches of finger-printing all Chinese who HKDP. Although the Centre has not yet travel through the border cone. Any Chinese who wishes to travel and can be used by members of HKDF in the border region now, must first be registered and passed by the Hong Kong police; and the rte, only are available at the Centre but Clubs as detailed. police are registering hundreds it is hoped shortly to open a restaurant

function etc. The Commandant hopes that all members of the Force will make full Claimbers. Att Senfor Officers will atuse of the Centre. Attestation: In order to speed up the Police 'are also actively coettestation of personnel who have passed their medical examination the following and are accompanying thoops are saked to attend at this HQ at the and patrols. Usually only one time and on the days statted below: I Johnston, Mrs. W.A. Penny, Miss O.M. Blonday, August 29, 1949. At 5 p.m. [Redwood, Miss M.E. Stewart, Mrs. A.E. they perform the vital service W.E. Baker, H.S. Bindon, A.I. Blisoru- Tamworth, Mrs. E.K.H. Tang. loff, F.E. Brook, R.R. Bryant, Cheng of directing the patrol through Wal Tong. At 5.30 p.m. J.G. Crighton. the territory, and acting as in-C.C.F. Crofton, M.S. Douglas, I.H. Erfksen, E.M. Gemmell, R. Goudie. At 8 p.m. Commandant wishes to form a Force Because of the lack of any R.A.C. Henderson, P. Hughes, Hut Ying Concert Party. It will be formed from border defence propagations, it is | ht. E.G.K. Humphrey, Charles Kong, | all branches of the Force including the

should be attacked. If this is cor- | Renner, W.H. Sanders, H.D. Smith, G.E. | Regiment, or to the Benior Staff Officer. rect, perhaps a reason for it, is Welsby, Woos Keal Soon, Yong Po Tak. Purther details of the Concert Party will. the very real danger of rear at At & p.m. Mhs Eva Chen, Miss J.M. | be published later.

HK Light Orchestra rehearsal for Singers, St. John's Cathedral Lane Crawford Lid., annual meet-

ing. Jacobean Room, HK Hotel, 12 noon. HK Telephone Co., Ltd., annual meeting, fourth floor, Telephone House, 12 noon.

Sha-British Club, seneral meeting, Club Lusitano, 5.30 p.m. Ball by HQ Land Forces, Serpeants' Mess, at St. Joseph's Hall, Kennedy, Road, 8.30

Coming Events

TOMORROW Gramophone Society classical concert, Diocesan Boys' School, 8.15 p.m. European YMCA, swimming pic-

SUNDAY. Toe H Classical Concert, 80, Macdonnell Rond, 8.45 p.m. European YMCA swimming pic-

nic at Silverstrand Beach,

nic, at Silverstrand Beach,

2.30 p.m. British Fleet entry into Hong Kong Harbout in 1945, St. John's Cathedral, 11.15 a.m.

Chinese Bound Over

An 18-year-old Chinese girl, Lee Shu-lan, wenver of the Nam Yang Weaving Factory, was bound over the sum of \$500 for two years, by Mr. Blair-Kerr at Kowloon yesterday on a charge of larceny in a dwelling.

Defendant was ordered to be on probation for two years. It was stated by the prosecution that on August 24, several weavers of the Nam Yang Weaving Factory made a report to the police that some of their belongings had been stolen, from their quarters. They suspected that de-The Depot-Squadding: Arrangements fendand had committed the

> When arrested, defendant admitted that she had stolen one \$10 note, one fountain pen, and a gold finger ring, the total value

told the Court that she had no Range Piring, 1.26-Hong Kong Re- parents. She was born and brought up in the Colony.

Orders For John

sloner, St. John Ambulance Brigado.

Ambulance Dutles Hong Kong: August 24 to September 3. Bih Nam Division -

Ambulance Dutles Kowloon; August 21 September 4. Tsimshutaul Division September 6 to September 11, KYMCA

Beach Dutles Hong Kong: Saturday August 27, 2 p.m.: Répules Bay, Wanchal din; Sheko, Shaukiwan Division; Bunday, August 28, 9.30 and 1.30; Repulse- Bay, Wanchal "B" Division; Big Wave, Cdn fucian Division; Sheko, Motor Transport Tuesday, August 30, 9.30 and 1.30; Re pulse Bay, Chung Sing and HRYMCA Volunteer Centre: This is the new Divisions; Big Wave, 8th Nam and Bout!

Beach Duties Rewison: Baturday 27 und Sunday ES. 11 14 Mflo Beach, RYNOA been officially opened it is now running Ambulance and Shamshulpo Nursing Divicions; Tuerday 80, 111/4 Mile Beach. between the hours of 10 a.m. and 11 p.m. KYMCA Ambulance and Shamshulpe At the moment canteen facilities, drinks, Nursing Division; Laichikok Bathing

Altetingu: There will be a Senfor which will be rapable of full meals, Cificers Meeting on Wednesday, August 31. at 5.30 p.m. at the Urban Council

(Bed., IL A. EDWARDS, B.B.B. J.

(8pd.) J. G. FISHER, LIEUT, COL. Senior Staff Officer, HKDF. Notices HKDF Concert Party, The logical to desume that the Bri. Donald Lo. Wednesday, August 31, 1949. H.K. Women's Volunteer Force, especialtish military do not intend any At & p.m. Norman Lo, D.J. Machie. ly. Anyone who has musical, dancing or C.T.F. McDonald. J. . Markham, J.P. I comedy talent is siked to submit his or O'Neill, Phone Lik. At 5.30 p.m., G. her name to either CQMS F, Miles, H.K.

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Marsman (Manila) Limited came in for some stofthing criticism yesterday from Hong Kong stockholders holding shares in gold mining companies in the Philippines operated by the company.

charged Marsman's with failure to re-open the mines of the five companies under their management-Itogon, Suyoc, San Mauricio, United Paracale and Coca Grove-despite the fact that money had been received from the War Damage Commission for war compensa-

They said Marsman's had linstead laid the money uside called this defeatist attitude of or had it diverted to other use, while they continued to draw their management expenses for doing nothing.

These aggrieved stockholders. who recently formed themselves into an association called the Hong Renk Stockholders in Marsman Operated Philippine Gold Mines, hold their inaugural meeting yesterday at the Stock Exchange Building under the choirmanship of Mr. N.V.A. Crouchar. who was elected Chairman of the Association.

After individual stockholders had poured forth their grievances. the meeting unanimously resolved to make immediate representations to Marsman (Marila) Ltd. in the name of the Association.

It was pointed out that Marsman's, in not applying the money received for war compensation to rehabilitation of the mines concerned, were not acting according to the spirit of the war compensation payments

A speaker instanced a sum of 400,000 pesos alleged to have been received by Itogon for war claim, Chen, S.N. Mah and G.S. Kwok \$50, Dr. which was advanced to the Gen- and Mrs. S.N. Chau \$50, Y.C. Woo and eral Manager at seven per cent to \$60, Wong Tax Fai \$60, U Tat Cheinterest. That money, he said, \$60, He Shok Yee \$30, A.J. Clifford \$25, chould have been put back on the U See Wing \$25, Lee to Cheung 474

cointed out, the General Managers | the Co. \$20, Dr. P.P. Chiu \$20, 11; continued to draw their manuge- Watta \$20, P.H. Kwok \$20, -H.H. Rankins Bursting into tears; defendant ment expenses at the rate of tto, S.P. Onzager \$20, J.E. Nicklen \$17, 28,000 pesos a year from each of Tan Kwan Hot \$20, Fung Hon Chu \$20 the five companies, which meant | Foon Sin Yuen \$20, Dr. H.K. Peng \$27, that nearly 500,000 pesos have the C.T. Wang \$20, Mice I.N. Waters Seen fritte ed away without Mak Fung Chau \$20, The Spinsters' Mite bringing to pair the spinsters' Mite tringing in any financial return 200, fil Tour Nong \$20, Dr. R.C. Lam

"If we go on like this, we shall Dr. Wu Hung Tak \$10, Work Bank \$1), roon see not only our éash, but Cerran G. Cumming \$10, G. Ingram Shaw mfro our machinery, being spent \$10, Dr. W.T. Cheung \$10, T.C. Word on administrative expenses with- | \$10, Cheung file Fung \$10, Leung Tie but any work being done," they | gun \$10, Chiu Pat Wat \$10, E.M. Beiere

Should Pool Money

the mines because of lack of Tac Wal Ting \$10, Ma Bik Wan \$10, Luk money, then the agregate re- Um Fong \$10, C.B.B. Heatheste-Smith sources should be pooled to get \$10. Kwan Chu Nam \$5, Wong Chung at least one, if not two, of the Lam \$5, Li Kal Blew \$5, Wen Res Chies

Alternatively, arrangement Anonymous \$5, Dr. G.H. Choa \$5, Dr. could be made with other groups | G.H. Chon in memory of Mr. Chon l'o who had money, to come forward Yeu ts, Loung Tin Po 15, Soo Chan Wan with financial assistance and work | \$2, W.C. Wonz \$2, Dr. Phoon \$2. the mines on a profit-sharing

Speakers also instanced the the St. John's Cathedral Centenary Apgood profit made by mines of pest .- Mr. and Mrs. Cedric Blaker \$1.0:0 other groups which had been re- Staff of Gilman and Co., Ltd. \$215, Steel sturted, of the price that could Brothers and Co., Ltd. \$250, Mr. R.H. be realised for gold in the black Woodhead \$20, Sitiant Bilk Store \$25. market, all of which, they said, belied the report given out in the armual teports of the Marsman Previously acknowledged \$62,288, Leo 441 group that it was not possible to

work the mines profitably.

Strongly attacking what they the management, they said if nothing was done, shareholders would be "sold down the .iver. They said the management should really not be drawing any feed while nothing was being done.

Stockholders admitted they were in the minority. In Hong Kong they had 45 founder members, but their shareholders wate, not disclosed.

An invitation was extended to other stockholders, in Hong Kong as well as outside, to join the Association so as to give it greater strength in any representations it might make to the management.

Donations Acknowledged

The Hong Kong Anti-Taberculosis Atscetation's Fing Day Committee gratefully acknowledges the following donathous:-Previously acknowledged \$8,321. Areas In memory of Mary M. Lokonmall Fills. Girls of Rellice Public School \$200, Years, Fat and ,Co, \$200, Mr. and Mrs. M.M Watson \$100, Thoronen and Co. \$160 1:-1.K. Samy \$100, Ananymona \$50, 8.T De. R. Tak Eng \$25, Dr. K.Y. Lat 30" A Witkamp \$25. Mr. and Mrs. T.M. Gregory 125, R.H. Wild \$25, Lowbridge In the meantime, stockholders Shackleton and Co. \$20. Equitable Trai-\$20, -W.M. de Haan \$20, Y.S. Yeh 413 \$10. Lans Chik Buen \$10, M.S. Chan \$10, Ko Cheuk Hung \$10, Pang Shiu Kwoon

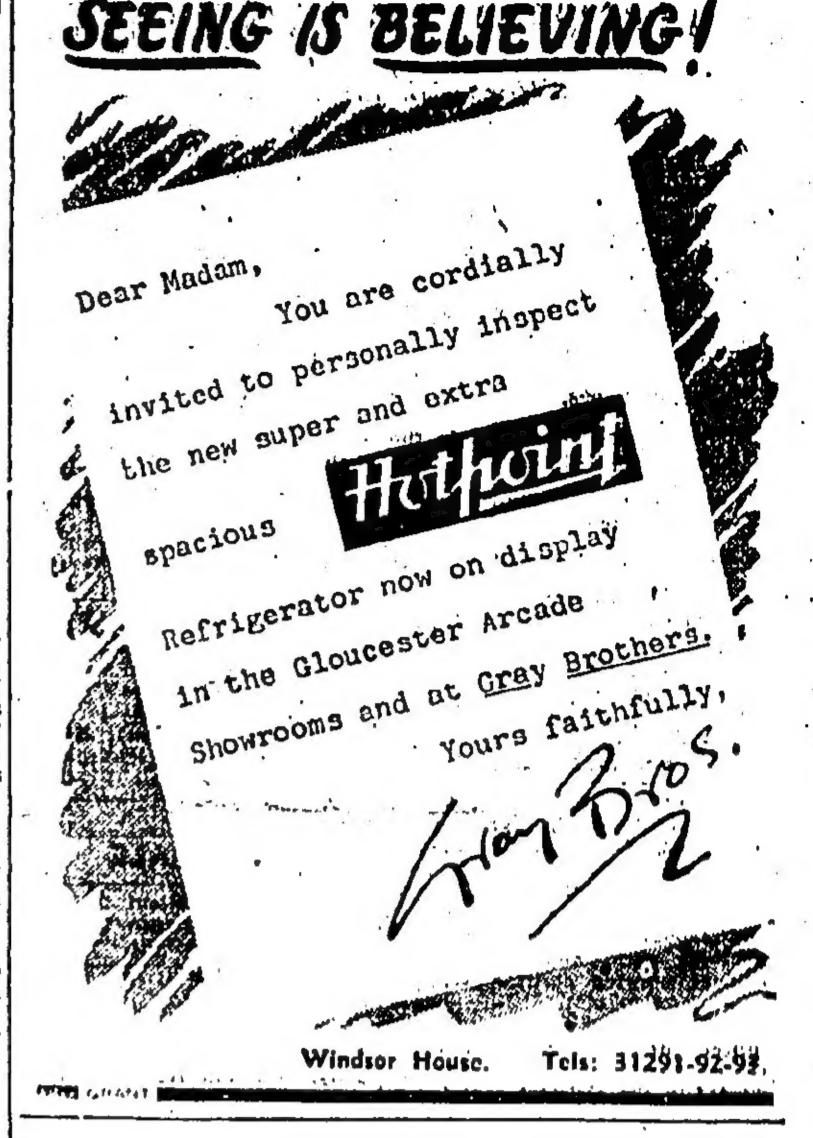
\$10, J.B. Doraw \$10, L. Butnam \$10, Dr. \$10, F.L. Davidson \$10, Wong Hing Kour Other speakers cald if Mars- | 210, Dr. and Mrs. F.R. Ashton \$10, Tee man's were unable to restart pat Choung \$10, Tam Shuk Mine 413. mines re-started, instead of do- |Fin Sang \$5, A.F.B. Bilva-Netto \$5, A Lim Chuen \$5, Wong Wel Bun &

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newspaper "Parls Press" as a

requel to the impending Wash-

"The British now seem ready

to devalue the Pound, but in

exchange they will probably ask

fer a lowering of tariff barriers

they had not the means to do it.

"Even Mr. Churchill will not

be able to restore to his country,

by the magic gesture of his parted

which were liquidated to win

"That is why the necessity of

solving the crisis on a world

scale, or at least on a Western

hemisphere scale, is more and

"The British will plug the most

urgent link; they will devalue

all Western Europe will follow

suit and we shall have to start

again to find an indefinitely wider

solution, a political solution,"--

Siam Decision

buy locomotives from Japan in-

This paper added: "The cir-

but it is fair to assume that the

Japanese exporters had a con-

siderable advantage through the

to increase

Wellington, August 23.

lars by diverting foodstuffs from

Britain to dollar markets but

will try to increase dollar earn-

ings from wool, hides, tallow, and

skins, the Minister of Supply,

Mr. Arnold Nordmeyer, told the

House of Representatives today.

must rely less on Britain to find

dollars for her imports, and if a

dollar loan is contemplated it

The leader of the Opposition

Mr. Sidney Holland, said it was

idle to talk of American invest-

ment in New Zealand while the

threatened the investor's secur-

FOUR KILLED IN

EXPLOSION

Three men and a little girl were

The barge blew up as it was

transferring its cargo to a Congo-

bound freighter, lying between

Lilldo and Lievekenshock, a few

Those killed were the captain

of the barge, his small daughter

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S. GROVE,

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tors, for the financial year end-

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Scheldt Estuary.

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Löndon, August 24.

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NOTICE **TREASURY**

The public is hereby notified should be spent on capital that owing to extensive struc- | equipment and not consumer tural alterations, it has been found necessary to close the Treasury Revenue Branch and the Stamp Office, Prince's Building, Ground Floor, on Government's Socialist policy Monday, August 29, 1949. As Tuesday, August 30 is a public | ity.—Reuter. holiday, the Revenue Branch will therefore be closed to the public from 1 p.m. on Saturday, the 27th, till 9 a.m. on

Wednesday, August 31, 1949. H. R. HIRST, Accountant General.

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Halifax, August 24. Twenty-nine Latvian refugees board the schooner Amanda said today they owed their lives after their perilous Atlantic cros-Devaluation of the Pound Stersing to Captain J. Andersen, the ling was today predicted by the only suitor aboard. independent Right-wing evening

Weary but happy, the voyagers packed into immigration Hendquarters to write out appilentions for residence in Canada, An expectant mother and a seriously-ill woman who suffered violently from seasickness during the trip were taken

and the raising of the world price of gold," the "Paris Press" Captain Andersen sailed the tiny vessel from Gothenburg, Sweden, on July 7; Shortly after "They wanted to try a Socialist touching the Azores, an engine experiment in the heart of the broke down. Later, he skilfully capitalist hemisphere at a time managed the ship through three when, terribly taxed by the war, violent gales.—United Press.

On Dollar

Washington, August 24. Republican Representative Jacob Javits in a speech in the House of Representatives today said that the Anglo-American economic conference has within it the means for destroying the whole fibric of not only Anglo-American, but Marshall Plan and Atlantic pact co-operation with Western Europe as well.

"The responsibility is as great as that when the European Recovery Programme was under consideration. Congress, as welas the executive, should know The "Financial Times" today what is afoot and should have said that the decision of Siam to the facts at hand so, when appealed to for action, it need not depend solely upon information

from the executive. "The Committee on Foreign Affairs is taking steps to see this is done. Congress too can make its contribution to the solution of the British crisis and such action would go far toward avolding dangerous recriminations from bilateral trade agreement which both sides of the Atlantic. the Supreme Commander for the Allied Powers concluded with

"Berating the Labour Government is fruitless. We would no "It is one among many such tolerate any interference with pacts which the United States our internal political affairs and authorities have negotiated both we can hardly expect the British in Germany and Japan,"-Reuter, will do so, nor would we want them or any other free people to do so. What we have the right to insist on are measures for stimulating British production efficiency and reducing production costs, also measures for Britigh and European currency stabilisation and better financial l management in Britain."---United New Zealand cannot save dol-

Priest Stops Funeral Rites

Bari, Italy, August 23. A Catholic priest here was reported today to have refused to carry out a funeral because the cortege was followed by youths carrying the Commu-

nist flag. The priest, Don Michel Milella, was going to the cemetery in a solemn procession behind the coffin of a parishioner when he noticed that a band of young men bearing Communist banners : had joined the mourners.

Don Mileita stopped the funeral and demanded that the youths go away. When the youths refused, the priest would not carry on the funeral and, accompanied by a number of mourners, abandoned the procession.-Reuter.

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10 Jupiter is 2 Broom 18 Muddle. 3 Stadium. 20 Adjudges. B Bellow. 21 Thin paper. 6 Lapwing 24 Scum. 7 Boarder. 9 High rank. 25 Banish. 26 Utler. 11 Centent 28 Stringed

Down

By Dick Tuiner

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honour" is a rule established West blindly played low on it,

generations ago to help those following another rule for players'

who are unable to do their own without brains-"second hand

thinking. The purpose of such a low." The 9 went through, the

play is to establish some lower 10 was led to the J, the A and

card for your side by making the K felled the Q, the 6 scored a

player of the first honour use up lifth trick in the suit, and spade

a second honour on the single K and heart A completed tho

other side, sometimes the rule up of the diamond suit, he would

should be extended further down have seen that all East had to

the deck. The latter is so if hold, in order to make his play

covering a lower card than an of the Q logical on the 9, was

honour appears likely to establish leither the 8 or the 10-extremely

some card for yourself or your likely. If either was the, case,

Pass | S | F

6 lead with the A. He came to against South's 5-Diamonds on

trick. Sometimes observing the needed nine tricks, for South.

GOVERING AN HONOUR

zo-called rule will only help the

5 6 5 2

CAQD

DAKJ62

S A K 10

HAQJ5

C7432

(Dealer: South, East-West vul-

West soundly opened his club

other suits and also because

South was an addict of short-

suit club openers. South put in

the Q-bad play-and the K won.

The J was returned to remove the

club re-entry for the diamonds.

South let that go, then won the

1 D

3 D

8-sound because he didn't wish D J 10 6

to jeopardise his honours in the C 10 3 2

D 10 4

C K J 10 6

H 7 4

DQ753 W E D8-4

Pass

HKD6

ierable).

South:

"COVER an honour with an

I to the A, then led the diamond 9.

That was not an honour, so

If West had studied the make-

play of the Q would make the 7

the fourth-round trick in the suit,

beating South out of two diamond

tricks. If West had govered that

19, South could not possibly have

scored more than eight tricks,

complex kind of throw-in or

Of course, if South had put the

elub & on the first trick, game

Tomorrow's Problem

SKJ4

H J 10 3

DA953

S A 10.97

DKQ742

South. North-South

H Q 9

CA 6

What is the best defence

would have been easy.

N H 10 8 3 2 even if he had tried the most

squeeze piny.

H A K 8 6

(Dealer:

vulnerable).

things-regardless of who it's about!"

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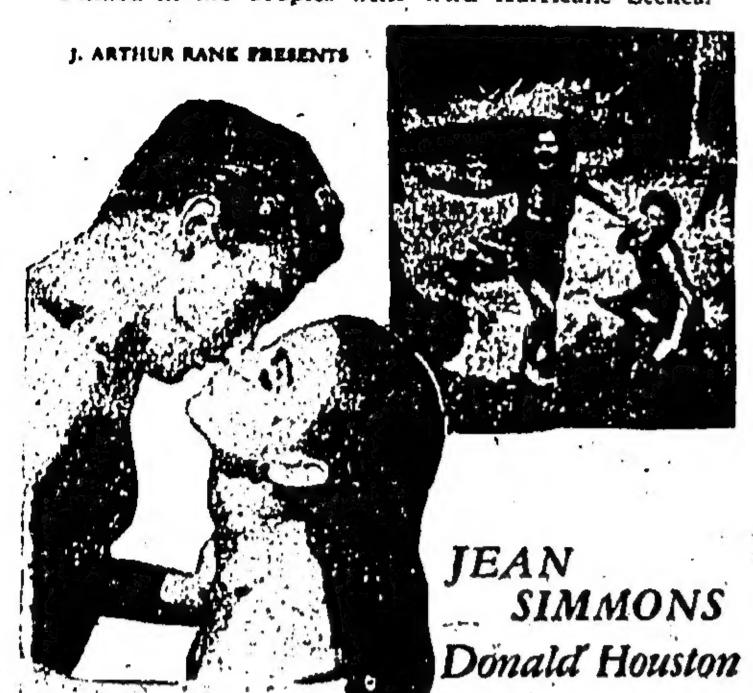
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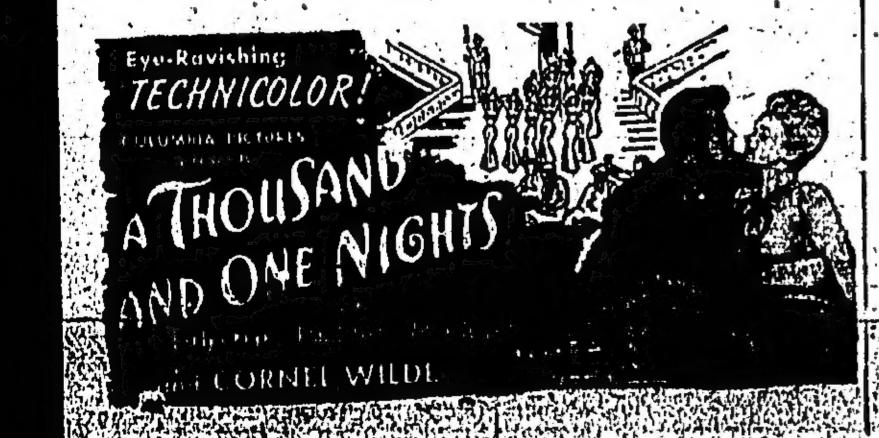


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Rating:

Hollywood's much heralded "The Snake Pit," weekend attraction at the Roxy Theatre, brings to the screen Miss Olivia de Havilland in a superb interpretation of a schizophonic who undergoes the mental tortures of a living hell before her mind is able to enter the clearer-if not saner-pastures of reality.

Although several advance publicity reports have labelled the film another horror picture—only this time dressed up in big words—the cinemagoer may rest assured in the knowledge that this is not so.

on their successful attempt to case history shows Virginia sufportray the lives of those whose fering from schizophrenia, the whose minds are clouded by a mental diseases, brought about by vell of make-believe.

doors, prison bars and caged human figures. In this case, how- fore the veil of the sub-conever, the buildings are an asylum for the mentally ill, and the tortures of love and evil and hate eaged figures not criminals but and goodness. human beings who live a nightmore that often last a life-time.

Virginia Cunningham (Miss de Havilland) is one of those figures. grounds, talking to a disembodied

Dottie Stars In Comedy

Rating: " " "Slightly French," the new starring Dorothy Lamour and the torment of the asylum's in- aged man with dignified, grey- ground of Brooklyn. Don Ameche, opens next week mates, as they wallow in their ing temples. at the Queen's Theatre.

that fabulous city and its people. places may be taken by others.

Brazilian and Cockney girliagirlie shows. " is here that she is "discover | | a ." ed" by unemployed film director Don Ameche, who persuades her to abandon the earnival and ettle down to the serious business of acquiring a permanent

(slightly) French accent, and all the (glamour that goes with potential stardom. Once past the educational process, she is manoeuvred into n star contract. With her to the studio goes her mentor, the self-

centred Ameche. "Slightly French" gives Miss Lamour a glamourous wardrabe. In addition, the actress gets to sing four memorable tunes. One "Lets Fall in Love," by Harold Arlen and Ted Koehler, has been on several all-time "hit" lists. In addition, there are "Fift From the Folies Bergere," "I want to Learn About Love" and "Night Sings a Lovely Screnade," especially written for Miss Lamour by Allan Roberts and Lester Lee. Featured in support of the stars

are Janis Carter, Willard Parker,

Adele Jergens and Jeanne Manet.

"The Snake Pit" is a surprise | voice. It traces her progress, reingly some pleture, and the pro-Leession and gradual cure with ducers should be congratulated disarming frankness. The film's bodies live in this world, but most common of the serious inadequate parents who burdened in "The Snake Pit" the cinema- her with a guilt complex, plus a goer enters familiar surroundings father fixation, and although Vir-- hulking grey buildings, locked ginin is not aware of the symptoms, her subconscious is and be-

scious lifts, she goes through the

Miss de Havilland's performance, which almost won her the coveted "Oscar" Academy Award, is a sterling and inspired one. The enmera first discovers her She acts the part of Virginia in a sitting on a bench in the asylum's pardoxically sane manner. In her case insanity isn't an ugly and despicable thing, but rather the disease that it is, crying for understanding and patience. She manages to fill the story with a beauty which, although hidden, breaks but in a rash here and there and makes

hope and triumph. Columbia comedy, with music work. There are scenes showing ly pokes fun at the middle against the roaring backfrustrated aspirations; the over-A happy combination of love worked nurses who look upon and laughter and told against the the deranged only as so many background of a motion picture heads of cattle; and the doctors, studio, "Slightly French" is an whose task it is to cure the ill as original and amusing parody of speedily as possible, so that their

"The Snake Pit" a tale of pathos,

As Mademoiselle O'Leary from All this is enptured with grim Brooklyn, Miss Lamour portrays reality, minus pose and glamour, a carnival "come-on" girl with a And in all this, Miss de Havilversatile ability to mimic accents land rides to fame with a flawless and languages, enticing the pay- interpretation of a difficult part.



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Although it looks like love Lee Genn is merely Olivia de Havilland's doctor for whom she shows a brisf affection in 20th Century-Fox' "The Snake Pit,' in which the noted pair share starring honors with Mark Stevens. The bold entertainment hit was directed by Anatole Litvak, who co-produced the Darryl F. Zanuck presentation with Robert Bassier.

The Middle Aged Man Sees Mermaids

Rating: * *

"Mr. Peabody and the Mer-

men. On a fishing vacation with Lee Theatre. his pretty wife, Mr. Peabody hooks on to the 'tail of a real, live mermaid. What does he do? newcomers, does well, and it is her back into the sea.

tertaining sort

the mermaid is attributed to hal- ton news analyst, is narrator. lucinations on Mr. Peabody's part by a medico (also, incidentally,

is extremely effective and brings actual murder. about an awe-inspiring tension as the choral theme introduces each entrance of the mermaid. woman.

Strong Drama Coming To Lee Theatre

Rating: * *

Packed with the emotions of maid," coming to the King's youth, Universal - Interna-Theatre, is a little story that tional's "City Across the The camera does excellent respectfully but quite definite- River" is strong drama laid Universal - International Mr. Peabody is just one of those ture opens on Sunday at the

> The cast, made up chiefly of Why naturally,...he don't throw safe to say that many of them will not remain newcomers But Mrs. Peabody is not to be long. Such actors as Peter Feroutdone by a fishy female and nandez, Al Ramsen and Joshua that starts a triangle of an en- Shelly attain immediate success in their debut roles. Other The comedy is interesting as members of the "Dukes," boy far as the film winds but comes gang about which the story is too abruptly to an ianti-climax. written, include Anthony Curtis, The film ends on a too earthy Mickey Knox and Richard Jaccnote after what has passed and kel. All turn in rousing perforheld one as a gripping fantasy: mances. Drew Pearson, Washing-

> The story traces the change in a middle ager, who explains that Fernandez, playing an ambitious, all men pass through THAT stage, normal high school youth, as he He himself, he says, has met the becomes involved against his bet inost beautiful ice skater, who ter instincts with the Dukes. floats away out of his life, into lie becomes a lawbreaker as the activities of the gang develop The presentation of 'Mermaid" from ordinary rowdyism into

> Stephen McNally is seen as a "moral force" in his role of As Mr. Peabody, William Po-community centre director who well is in his usually capable self. tries unsuccessfully to keep Ann Blythe, as the mermaid, is Fernandez a right-thingking boy. sweet, coy and, except for her McNally does an exceptional inability to converse, very much job in keeping his characterisa-Ition human, yet forceful.

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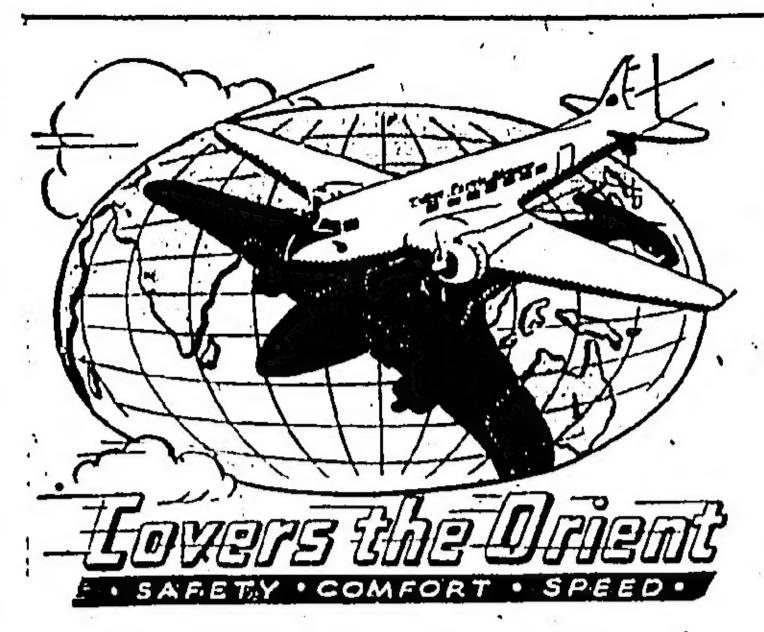
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ATOMIC **ARGUMENTS**

The suggestion that America might make some atom bombs available to Britain has touched off the expected spate of high level conferences, pompous denunciations by (slightly disguised) isolationist senators, and Press vituperation by such great democrats as Colonel McCor- tion leaves for England."

mick. The U.S. public may not have heard that Britain took a considerable part in the strong competition on the British creation of the bomb, but markets, and had large quantities people in the United Kingdom are rather bitterly aware of the fact. The rather perplexing question is, howdoes Britain really need this appalling new weapon of war?

Most of the thinking population at Home are emphatically of the opinion that the country should continue trying to develop the bomb, and 'if they are correct, there is plainly a case for a degree of Anglo-American co-operation. But does the necessity really | in Japan.

A year ago it was certainly Hughes tells the story of the kindnecessary for Britain to go ahead with her plans. We did not then know whether the Russians had the atom bomb or were likely to have it in a short period, but we did know that circumstances might arise in which the two countries could come to war, while the United States shivered on the brink, as on two previous occasions when Europe was in flames. In such an eventuality, a pile of the bombs might have been England's only hope. Borrowing arms from America has not always been speedy business in the past, even old destroyers.

The signing of the Atlantic Pact has, however, changed the situation, together with the acceptance by the Western Union powers of a common military planning machinery, and common abdication of some aspects of national sovereignty. They pay lip service at least to the principle that every member nation does not need to be strong in every department spirits or nylons. James White pand. of defence. They must now fit the manufacture of the atom bomb into their joint ion of the Danish Customs. For a ready to take off at 11/2 hours' planning, if they deem its

possession, imperative. Another aspect is worth considering. The security of an atom bomb plant is exceedingly difficult to ensure, and wherever the Western powers build one, they build primary objective for enemy land and airborne armies. It cannot be other-

wise. That demands an Allied

counter-attack army on the

spot, tied down in constant watchfulness at each site. Have the Allies the necessary soldiers and supporting arms? If not, it is a serious at present an American risk for them to accept. One monopoly. Is it not stratemay take risks with what is gically wise for the United one's own. But the making of Kingdom especially to let it the atom bomb happens to be remain so?

MEN, WOMEN AND MEMORIES For a man nearing his seven-

ties Signor Alcide de Gasperi, Italy's Prime Minister, chooses an unusually strenuous pastime for his relaxation.

He has had a lifelong passion for mountaineering, and much of his annual holiday, which he has started recently at his little chalet at Borgo, in the Val Sugano, will be devoted to climb-Reporters & General Office 32312 | lng. The last really difficult rock climb which he made was 14 years ago, and on that occasion he was lest dangling on the end of a rope for nearly a quarter of an hour,

> This unpleasant experience in be no way Eurbed Signor de Gasperi's enthuslasm, Courage, physical and moral, is a marked trait, and I believe that the mountains near his birthplace at try's recovery, :

of their fruit to Britain this com- tracted.

ing winter season. That means

sending a delegation to negotiate

"But first," they say, "the

wage-scales demanded by grove

workers for picking and packing

the crop are far too high. There

must be a drop before our delega-

developed in an important branch

of citrus processing. Local growers

in what was then Palestine faced

In desperation they began bot-

tling and tinning the juice. To-

day eight factories preserve

ornnges, and they exported fruit

juices for £100,000 last season.

One works, just outside Tel-

Dumped out of lorries into a

Democracy

Democracy is not yet at home

Writing from Tokyo, Richard

hearted policeman of Shinagawa

who arrested a gang of 10 teen-

age shoplifters for stealing 'ase-

Remembering their new demo-

cratle' responsibilities the police

decided to be lenient with the

"criminals". While a police-ser-

gent tried to arrange a with-

drawal of the charges by the

store-proprietor, other officers

played a baseball game with the

police station and the boys won

8-0. All it seemed, was going to

end happily when the Superin-

tendent of the Station discovered

that one of the boys had sneaked

into his office and stolen his cont.

In the ensuing excitement all

the boys escaped—and the stolen-

Hair And

Smuggiers

that there was less of her elegant

colffure, each time she returned

was wearing hair which was not

her own, she asked if it were a crime to wear artificial hair in

Denmark. Certainly not, was the

reply, but it was a crime to ar-

rive with a wig and then to leave

· The unusual smuggler confess-

ed to the illegal importation of 83

lhs of hair but it is believed that

the real weight is nearer 880 lbs.

to her own country.

without it.

baseball equipment went them.

bag and a pile of stationery.

The game was outside the

ball gloves and bots.

Japan

Aviv, uses every scrap of the

of fruit left on their hands.

It was an earlier crisis which

with London's Ministry of Food.

Israel Wants To

Buy Oranges

By JULIAN MELTZER

A crisis is brewing in Israel's | receiving bin, the fruit runs up

the "golden apple of the Hes- where mechanical selectors fun-

The planters want to sell more machines. There the juice is ex-

By ATTICUS

sense are soon evident to the dis- | against him round the conference

he has a remarkable ability to spent many days in his company move an audlence by sheer force at the villa at Cannes which the of reasoning and sincerity. In French Government placed at the Rome recently I heard detractors disposal of the late Sir Arthur speak of the Italian Prime Minis- Coningham in recognition of the ter as a "master of compromise"; part played by the RAF in the would say, rather, that Signor liberation of France. cie Gasperi is the apostle of common sense, a quality which the Italian people are obviously learning to appreciate.

Sir John Slessor

No major Service appointment has been more widely welcomed than the promotion of Air Chief Marshal Sir John Slessor to Chief Trento have helped considerably of the Air Staff. Recently both to mould the character of a man at home and abroad. I have whose statesmanship has been heard striking tributes paid to the greatest factor in his coun- him by officers of the Army and Navy. This, in Itself, is a mea-Gaunt, angular and austere, de sure of his, outstanding ability Gasperi does not make an imme- and personal, qualities, for

Then the peel is separated from

Remember drinking castor of

The castor bean has come into

its own in this country. Commer-

cial exploitation is to start soon

a nylon-like substance from

on a patented formula producing

The process was developed at

the Welzmann Institute of Science

at Rehoveth, home of the Presi-

dent of Israel. Laboratory work

went on in the Daniel Sieff Re-

search Institute, endowed by Mr.

Israel M. Sieff, of Marks and

Chemista were able to extralt

brank handles, beautiful fabrics,

tooth-brushes, handbags, and a

It is this material which will ?

be extruded into fibre at the new

variety of other articles,

easter-oil brush. Growing

in the scafront zone.

castor bushes is favoured by

Southern Lerael's arid climate and

There is to be a touch of Mar-

be completed in two years' time,

pulp and pure alcohol is distilled.

n rich feed for dairy herds.

with a cow!

castor oil.

with wry face?

Spencer, London.

table, or in the field of battle. He has no Latin eloquence, but Just after the war's end

Slessor's vision, the breadth of

his interests, and his sane thinking on every aspect of life in his own Service stimulated and euriched conversation, and whenover, in the intervening years. I have heard conjecture about Lord Tedder's successor I have been irresistibly reminded of the obvious claims of the man now so fittingly chosen.

Lady Slessor shares her husband's charm and good looksand his courage. She loves travel. Hardship and possible danger mean little to her, and she has much more than the average traveller's interest in the social diately favourable impression on throughout his career Jack Sles- visits. Both she and her husband blamed the Congress for not havthose meeting him for the first sor has hever courted popularity have many friends in America, to thank, on behalf of the time, but his honesty, his self- by conceding one jot to the and Lady Slessor is shortly flylessness and his deep moral weight of rival opinion ranged ing to that country for the first

Bridge And Politics

·Nuri Pasha As Said, the Prime Minister of Irng, who visited his fellow-countrymen. citrus ' industry-the industry of a conveyor belt into the sheds,

hel them into the pressing he plays bridge. I should say city of Minister of Defence. that his success at both activities ly to a natural flair combined with a shrewd knowledge of

The peel is dried and grated into human nature, Fancy sharing your orange three years ago, his office was ciency had taken charge. crowded with a mixed congregation of friends, petitioners and officials, all drinking coffee and

joining in the general conversa-

He married the sister of Jeafar Pasha al Askari, who, like him- every member of his staff. The self, won the DSO in the First effect of his Churchillian training World War if his services in the is clearly visible in the clarity Arab revolt. His son, Sabah, is and conciseness of his minutes, an Army officer and his father's personal pilot. It was Sabah Said who achieved the remark- then on to Canada to act as deable fent some years ago of fly- legate to the unofficial British ing his plane under the arch of Commonwealth Relations Conferthe Maude Bridge in Baghdad; ence. a material used in making hair- but on that occasion his father

was not one of his passengers. Patience Exhausted

factory now to be built at Restroking your tresses with a stockpile reminds me of a Chur- the war up to June, 1946: chill story which I think has never been published.

During the war there was con-Mr. Leon Gradel, who once owned was invited to read a paper on the Northumberland Hotel at the subject at a meeting of the Cliftonville, and before that the Ministry of Defence. It was a Carmel Hotel in Margate, is to long paper, and Mr. Churchill, put up a £500,000 caravansoral was soon bored. He turned to an officer who was sitting next to sig. Idea is a concrete building of him, and said in a loud whisper, 185 rooms, each with its bath, doubtless intended to reach the The banqueting hall is to sent ears of the expert: "Who is that

1,000 people. Construction will man?" The expert continued to read when presumably Israel's aus- and very soon Mr. 'Churchill reterity regime - precluding ban- peated his question. Finally if quets for ten people, let alone became clear that the expert was 1,000-will have been wound up, only now reaching the kernel of Mr. Gradel hopes to get the his subject. Mr. Churchill's bulk of his custom from American | patience exploded: that man, and what is he talking

pert's name and added: "buffer

"Buffer stocks!" said Mr. Churchill in the loudest of whispers thought he said 'butter scotch'" The expert took the hint and wound up rapidly.

In London on his way back to India from America is one of the more femarkable of the younger men wnom India's independence has brought to high official places. Minco Masani obeyed, a them. call of duty in consenting to open India's diplomatic relations with South America as Ambassador to Brazil for a term of a year, and he returns to a highly promising

career in business and public life. Many of his contemporaries will remember him as a student nt London University rather more than 20 years ago-tall, handsome, musical, ascetic-looking, keenly interested in international affairs. For a while he was an ardent Congress Socialist: well do I remember his telling ing taken advantage of the war to force Britain to gult India.

Sir lan Jacob's Success

Four year ago Major-General Sir Ian Jacob took a major decision. He accepted the post of London recently, has not been in | Controller of the European Ser-England since he was one of the vices of the BBC. His friends signatories to the illfated Ports- were amazed. He seemed then on mouth treaty. He was not Prime the very threshold of the highest Minister on that occasion, though honours that a military career he has held that office more often | could offer. With General Ismay in the past 20 years than any of and Lieutenant-General Hollis ha had been one of the brilliant trio Nuri Pasha plays, the game of officers who worked directly politics with the same skill that under Mr. Churchill in his capa-

Nevertheless, the decision was is due partly to the fact that he | a wise one both for his country thoroughly enjoys them, and part- and for himself. At the BBC he has been a brilliant success. When he arrived at Bush House, he lay low for three months while he He is even more accessible studied his new task. Then came tian most Arab politicians, and action, and very soon everyone the last time. I called on him, recognised that a man of excepwhen he was Prime Minister tional ability, character and effi-

Today he is master of every detail of his compilicated job enjoys the full confidence of the Foreign Office and indeed, of every department in Whitehall. and is liked and respected by

At the end of the month General Jacob goes to New York, and | present."

Accord In Vienna

My recent reference to Lord Balfour's "jagree" brought me The proposal that, in order to this interesting note from Major- defined "inbreeding" as "breedease the sterling situation, the General Gerald Lloyd Verney, ing the same stock; for example, hovoth by an American company, American Government should who commanded the British one Holstein cow with another Some time later you may be buy British raw materials for its troops in Vienna from the end of Hoistein cow."

"It was our custom at the Inter-Allied Kommandatura's weekly meetings when things were siderable anxiety about what we going well (and it is surprising called our buffer stocks, and on how often things did go well) to gate on the sands of Tel-Aiv one occasion a learned expert signify our agreement to any proposal in each other's language. The four expressions available were 'I quite agree' for England, 'OK' for U.S.A. 'D'accord' for France, and 'Sagiasna' for Rus-

> "When in this friendly mood, the first General asked to comment on the chairman's proposal would signify his agreement in the chairman's own language. was then a point of honour for the others to agree in some language other than their own, Childish, perhaps; but we saved Vienna from starvation in that winter 1945-46 largely through the very cordial personal relations of the you would have dinner with me four Generals."

about?" The officer gave the ex-

"World Power, Russia Asked to Give Up Dream." Just who did you say was dreunling?

The Siamese are giving the Japs an elephant. Fair swap for the trunk line the Japanese gave

So now the great White Paper ls a big Black Lie.

A Siamese aweke at midnight to find hatchet armed robbers menneing himself and his wife. Leaping from bed he ran quickly and, brought back the police. Alas! the robbers had acted even more chop-chop,

DisBurred

Oh the gold bar throng who reach Hong Kong Hoping no one-will find them, Are filled with grief beyond belief

At leaving their bars behind theml

More aid for the Nationalists? You can put a crutch under a corpse's arm, but only a miracle or Hollywood scriptwriters canmake it get up and walk.

A bill to grant divorces by slot machine has been introduced by Nevada (U.S.) Assemblyman C. C. Boak. According to his plan the candidate for divorce would punch the machine once a day for 42 days to establish residence, then insert, 200 silver dollars. As the divorce popped out of a slot, coloured lights would finsh, wheels spin and a jukebox would play "America."

No two people are alike, and

"The Women's Society met in the church parlour on Thursday afternoon. Thirsty women were

A speaker says "Peace like war, is a state of mind." And a remark like that decided-. ly reveals a state of mind.

In a college biology test a girl

The professor's comment: "A no-ble conception."

Zpelling zeemz ztrange zomelinez when zome keyz ztuck zhe iznt uzable. Lookz zomething zimilar to Ruzzian.

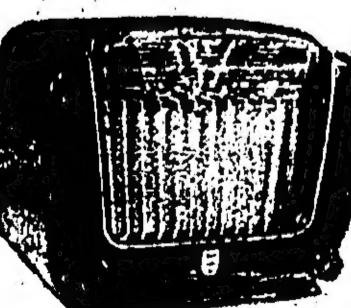
"May I speak to the person who takes care of jobs for cooks and maids?" asked a man at the employment service office. 'He was directed to the proper place. There he asked; "Are you the man who sent me a cook yester-

The interviewer checked his records and smiled, "Yes I am." "Well," said the visitor, "if would please me immensely if

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Lifeboats Of The Air By TOM POCOCK

When the 58 passengers and hours at a stretch, find that after erew of a Skymaster crashed into four hours' searching their eyes the Atlantic recently airsea res- are unreliable and, instead of the cue went into operation. The RAF-RN combined air- to forests and fields. Often they

Human hair has become part of sea rescue service, which from imagine dinghies, trade Though not as valuable as the war rescued 11,000 crash sur- lieving aircraft as frequently as gold and diamonds, it is less vivors - most of them from possible. As many as 30 RAF easily found by the Customs than dinghies—is here to stay and ex- aircraft may - search the crash

ser recently attracted the attent- and Halifax bombers stand by, days: long time, they could discover notice by day or two hours' nothing. Suddenly it was noticed notice by night.

In Bomb Bays

Taxed with the fact that she

reports that the frequent trips to Day and night all the year sighted or until hope is given Denmark of a Swedish hairdres- round RAF Lincoln, Lancaster, up, which is usually after six

Most flyers who are lost at sea

die in the crash. If an aircraft strikes the sea If this seems an unnecessary without warning-due to fog, delay it should be remembered faulty instruments, or, in rare that only those kept affoat by cases, being thrown on its back lifebelts or dinghles can hope to by an air current—only a be saved, as fully clothed swim- miracle can help. If a forced mers float for only a few minutes. landing is made on the sea pas-Most rescue aircraft carry in sengers who remain strapped in heir bomb bays the "Lindholm" their seats and take their turns rescue apparatus—a parachuted, at the escape hatches stand a self-inflating dinghy. A few sir- good chance. craft carry the big airborne life- One thing all occupants of

to search for as long as eight 49 people from the sea

sea, they seem to look down on the modern smugglers stock-in- its birth in 1941 to the end of This danger is offset by re-

Escape Hatches

dinghies should remember: The Unless high seas are running a RAF search crows do not give rescue operation is simple—once up while there is any chance. the survivors' dinghy. has been And the RAF's record is The great difficulty is in sight; man; only a fraction of the waring the tiny yellow craft among lime fleet of rescue boats and the white horses or against the alreraft, the RAF have in the

heartening. Though they can reflected glare of the sun. past 18 months, with the help of Alrerews, who sometimes have shipping and lifeboats, dragged

be maintained."

speaker in the debate, Miss Mar-

who appealed for an over-all plan

She answered suggestion by M.

Andre Philip. French economic

speakers that some countries were

an increased standard of living in

"Are these sacrifices going to be

whole weight of evidence would

Sounds Warning

want to act immediately towards

"Our view is that it would be

vinced ourselves, our Parliaments

and our people what is the best

"We cannot leave out the pos-

economic and military

sibility that a network of poli-

unions covering different areas

might be a more constructive

policy, than to form a federated

years," he added.—Reuter.

European State in the next few

Parachute

Successes

French parachule troops have

won important victories in Indo-

48 miles back away from the city

of Hanoi, French military officials

sald today.

cinted Press.

Vietnam

Salgon, August 24.,

unions.

continents.

tinental divisions.

| **fe**deration," he said.

S-A-F-E

Hoffman, Wilson On Dollar Problems

Discussion Covers ERP And Export Questions SNYDER'S STATEMENT

London, August 24.

the opening of the annual meet-

ing of the Directors of the Inter-

He was reminded that the

He described as a fabrication a

Held In-

Marseilles

The "marchers" made the jour-

They represented 160 ship-

building workers of Port de Bouc

who claim to be locked out of the

yards. They were dismissed last

June for insisting on a 3,000 franc

(about £3) bonus before the

The Force Ouvriere (non-Com-

, Marseilles street-cars stopped

ton passenger liner Ville, Doran

was able to leave normally,

-Reuter.

Bangkok

Singaporo

launching of a transport ship.

ney in trucks.

Marseilles, August 24.

asked the British Government to

Mr. Paul G. Hoffman, United States Economic Co-operation administrator, had a two hour talk here today on Britain's dollar problems with Mr. Harold G. Wilson, President of the Board of Trade. The discussion covered the European Recovery Programme questions and Britain's exports to the dollar area.

Earlier, Mr. Averell Harriman, roving Marshall aid ambassador, United States Ambassador Lewis Douglas, and Mr. Wilson attended a luncheon, given by the Foreign Secretary, Mr. Ernest Bevin.

Political quarters suggested that today's talks between Mr. Hoffman and Mr. Wilson probably included an exchange of views on the cuts in Britain's proposed dollar import programme recently suggested by a working part of the organisation for European economic co-operation in Paris.

protested at the extent of the fact finding tour of Marshall aid of devaluation might come up at Mr. Hoffman may have taken ference here on Friday evening, talks, which proceed by one week

the opportunity to discuss this with Mr. Wilson. Tomorrow, Mr. Hoffman will meet the Prime Minister, Mr Clement Atlee, Mr. Bevin and Mr. Wilson at a dinner to, be

given by Mr. Douglas at the

American Embassy,

RATTLING

Washington, August 24. pence offensive as a giant hoax. United States has?"

Mr. Acheson told newsmen that He said that the question of tive Party in the delegation to the peated desires for peace.

That is, he said, if the Communists anywhere possess any intellectual honesty, which they do not.

Of course, Mr. Acheson said wryly, the Communists will try to it seems the dove has a somewhat sore throat.

Increased Pressure

The Secretary's remarks on line with Premier Stailn's poll- date.

During the past few days, Moscow's denunciations of Marshal Tito have reached such a pitch that dispatches from Belgrade speculated on the possibility of an invasion of Yugoshvia by Russian and satellite armies.

Mr. Acheson said the State Department is carefully watching all developments. Yugoslavia's Ambassador, Sava Kosanovic, had conferred twice with him this week .- Associated Press.

The British representatives of | Mr. Hoffman, who arrived here | He refused, however, to rule out | the OEEC are known to have last night from Brussels on his the possibility that the question | countries, will give a press con- | the | Anglo - Canadian - American |

Snyder's Opposition

Washington. in Washington, meanwhile, the United States Secretary of the Treasury, Mr. John Snyder, no intimation from the British as opposed increasing the dollar to what proposals they would prevalue of gold as a means of sent for discussion at the threerelieving Britain's dollar short- power talks,

man of the Angle-Canadian- ministrator, Mr. Paul Hoffman, Royal Navy. American Brancial talks, open- would take part in the talks, he l ing in September, emphasized at said. a press conference today that there has been no change whatever in he previously stated op- nations might be included in the position to increasing the fixed three-power talks before the Inprice of \$35 an onnce, which the ternational Monetary Fund meet-United States Government pays ing opened. for gold, and thus devaluing the

French Foreign Minister, M. Mr. Snyder asked the corres- Robert Schuman, would be The Secretary of State, Mr. pondents who questioned him Washington during the talks. Dean Acheson, said today that about this proposal to assist Bri-Russia's sabre rattling in the Bal- tain: "Are we going to devalue kans exposes Moscow's so-called the only sound currency that the report that the United States had include members of the Conserva-

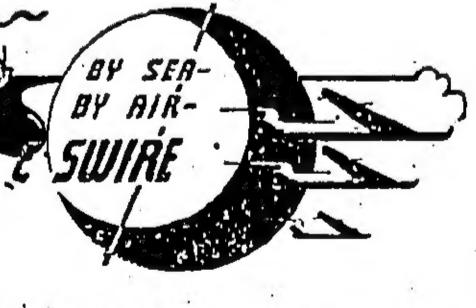
the Communists everywhere will gold had never been mentioned in lalks.-Reuter. have great difficulty reconciling the course of his conversations the mereasingly violent attacks with Sir Stafford Cripps, the ngainst Marshal Tito of Yugo- British Chancellor of the Excheslavia with Moscow's often re-lauer, in London this spring, or in the conversations which he had l with other European finance ministers during his European tour at that time.

Mr. Snyder said that he was definitely hopeful that good results would come out of the conpass off this saber rattling as the ference (the Anglo-Canadiancooing of a dove. But, he added, American finance talks) and that "we can find some helpful solution of Britain's dollar earning problems."

He said repeatedly, however, de Bouc, 27 miles to the West. that he did not wish to discuss with the correspondents the finanthe Yugoslav situation referred cial talks now and that he and to increased pressure which Mr. Dean Acheson, the Secretary Moscow has put on Marshal of State, would have a meeting Tite because he will not stay in with the correspondents at a later

Issue Devaluation

Pressed by correspondents to discuss the proposal made in the United States press that the munist) Trade Union Confedera-British Government should de- tion this morning instructed their value the pound sterling in members not to cease work. terms of dollars. Mr. Snyder said impatiently: "I have continuously stated that the proper ifor two and a half hours this afform for the discussion of ternoon and port workers stoppdevaluation is in the internated this morning, but the 10,172tional Monetary Fund."



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New Secret Planes Dritain

London, Aumst 24. Britain has two new secret jet fighters able to fly faster than the speed of sound, the Society garet Herbison, Labour, Britain, of British Aircraft Constructors, to revive Europe's economy.

disclosed today. The planes are the Hawker P-1052 and P510, which during the expert, and other continental past months have been undergoing flying tests, sponsored by holding back because they feared the Ministry of Supply.

They are still on the official other countries would lower the secret list, and the Ministry of standard in their own. Supply refused to comment on their speed. Hitherto, the only the result of a planned economy British plane which has officially which will cut them to a mininational Monetary Fund in been 'credited with breaking mum? Or are they going to be through the 700 miles an hour the result of a laissez faire policy speed of sound wall is the De which will greatly increase the He said that he had received; Havilland DE-108, an experi- sacrifices and, suffering of our mental-machine not meant to be people? I am certain that the n standard fighter. The two new faster than sound be in favour of a planned econo-

machines have been developed as my for Europe," she said. Both the Secretary of State, Mr. standard fighters for the Royal Mr. Snyder, who will be Chair- Acheson, and Marshal Plan ad- Air Force and possibly for the

- The two planes are expected to fly at an air show next month at Farnsborough, Hampshire.--He was asked whether other Reuter.

Elevator **Operators** Returning

Sheffield, August 24. Lancashire coal-mine elevator operators on strike for higher pay decided tonight to return to work on pre-strike conditions. Union officials advised the men foolish to act until we have conto go back.

Their Yorkshire colleagues yesterday also decided to return to work and to submit their pay claim to arbitration. About 40,000 miners in

Yorkshire coalfield were still idle today, however, compared with 75,000 yesterday as a result of the operators' stoppage. Of the 480 operators due at

Partial strikes were held in work today, 272 reported for duty Marseilles today in sympathy last night after the strikers' declsion last night to submit their with "hunger marchers" who "marched" on the city from Port pay claim to arbitration. In Lancashire, where miners are involved in the same dispute,

six pits employing 5,100 men were still idle and four others. employing 1,000 miners, were not yet fully working by midday. Up to this evening, Yprkshire China pushing Nationalist troops

icoal production had droppd by 303.700 tons, but a spokesman for the National Coal Boardwhich controls Britain's nationmines—said that 14,000 tons of this could be attributed to high absenteelsm among Catalina flying boats on August

tonight's shift.—Reuter.

INDIAN STUDENTS **REFUSED VISAS**

In factories the stoppage was way to the International Students' tant food source. only partial, as members of the Festival in Budapest have been Force Ouvriere and the Catholic held up in Progue because Huntrade unions did not halt work. gary has refused to issue visas .-

FLY

Bangkok

sions shortly to be taken. All we can do is to express our personal views. "För my part I do not believe ! that present exchange rates can The "Strasbourg delegates warmly applauded the first woman

British Economist

Sceptical Over

Exchange Rates

Lord Layton, distinguished British economist, told

Speaking as the only Liberal member of his delega-

He said that the Assembly's debates had been over-

debate on Europe's economic crisis.

could be maintained for long.

the European Assembly today that he did not

believe that present currency exchange rations

tion, Lord Layton raised this controversial

question—so far avoided by all British speakers

in the second day of the Assembly's two-day

shadowed by the dollar problem and "I do not

think there is anything this Council can propose

Strasbourg, August 24.

London, August 24. British trade union leaders today reaffirmed their support of the Labour Government's "hold the line" economic policies and resolved on a firm stand at next month's annual Trades Union Congress to win the general agreement of their nine million

the Government.

Mr. Bertil Ohlin, warned the George Isaacs, it was understood. Assembly to think twice before with the approval of his colleagues plunging into schemes for in the Cabinet, had refused to federalisation and economic give automatic approval to a recommendation by a joint Workers-In one of the most coldly some shop assistance shall rerealistic speeches yet made to the

"In Sweden public opinion does the case of particularly low-paid not share the view of those who workers.

> The TUC General Council is making urgent representations to the Government, and hopes to clear up the matter before the annual congress meets in the Yorkshire resort of Bridlington in

> could conceivably affect the attitude of the TUC Congress to the whole Government economic policy, but there is no doubt of the desire of the leaders to hold off any revolt against the present policy of full-scale backing of the Labour Government .- Reuter.

ROBERTSON

They said the troops dropped London, August 24. from 21 Dakota and about 30 Sir Brian Robertson, Britain-Military Governor of Germany, 17 and 18, captured the towns of called on Mr. Ernest Bevin, the Full working is expected on Phueven and Vinhven, 30 and 39 Foreign Minister, at the Foreign miles, respectively, North West of Office today;

> harvest time and that the troops In usually well-informed

corporate body that will affect the deci-Govt

But the leaders, meeting today as the General Council of the movement, were perturbed at, a Government move which, they believed, offended the spirit of the trade unions' understanding with

The Swedish Liberal leader, The Minister of Labour, Mr. Employers' wages council that

ceive wage increases. Assembly he said that he was The TUC understanding with sceptical of thinking in terms of the Government has been that unions will show restraint in In the modern world water and making wage claims and that they oceans no longer formed con- will be justified only when related to increased production or in

To interfere

On the other hand, according to the TUC leaders, the Government is not expected to interfere to upset normal trade unions negotiations or agreements on wage issues.

12 days' time. -

Failing satisfaction, this dispute

CALLS ON BEVIN

He arrived in London by air French officials stated that the from the British zone of Germany operation occurred in a "rice yesterday and will return on bowl" area a few weeks before Saturday.

of Moscow-trained Ho Chi-minh quarters here, General Robertson Prague, August 24. of Moscow-trained Ho Chi-minh quarters here, General Robertson Twenty Indian students on their are now cut, of from an impor- was expected to discuss with Mr. Bevin the numerous attacks made Two months ago, Ho Chi- on the British Government's disminh's Nationalist troops were on mantling policy by German politithe outskirts of Hanoi.-Asso- clans during the recent West German election campaign.—Reuter.

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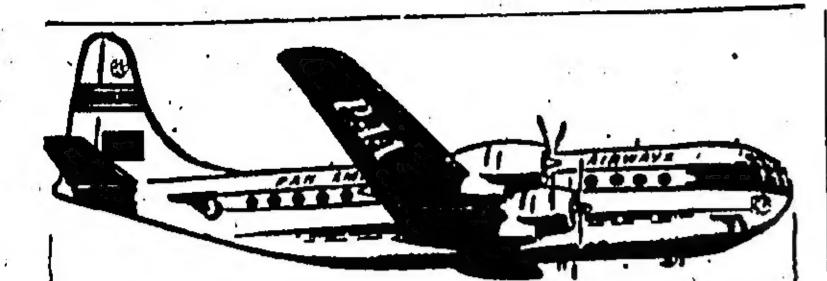
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W. EUROPE URGED TO WRITE OWN "FOURTH POINT" PROGRAMME

Strasbourg, August 24: Western European nations were today urged to write ECONOMIC their own "fourth point" programme for joint colonial development. RESOLUTION

Addressing the European Consultative Assembly, Felix Gaillard, French finance expert who has been working with the French section of the Marshall Plan referred to Truman's inaugural address and proposals in America for developing backward areas. Gaillard is a radical Socialist with moderate economic views.

Referring to British proposals for a sterling area embracing the Empire and Western Europe, Gaillard said: "We must see not only the British Empire but all our overseas territories brought in.

European Economic Recovery and Gaillard mentioned the overseas areas controlled by France, Belwould be solely responsible to the gluin, Holland as well as Britain. "These colonies must be shaped Council of Europe and would be into a huge area which will be a given sufficiently long-term aplarge market and a source of raw pointments to ensure their indematerials, foodstuffs and other rependence of national govern-

TABLED

Forty-six members of the Euro-

resolution calling for the immediate establishment of a per-

manent "European Economic De-

partment" composed partly of sections of the Organisation for

cother, inter-governmental, bodies,

that the Committee of Ministers

should, with the help of the new

agricultural systems of member

In doing this, the Committee

of Ministers is asked to take

into account the need for the

establishment of free converti-

bility between the currencies of member States and the main-

tenance in some form of the

system of economic preferences

member States and overseas

held in January next after which

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INCREASE

Traffic carried by the British

Overseas Airways on its world-

wide routes in the first six months

of 1949 showed an all-round in-

crease over the same period last

year, the Corporation announced

(against 55,652 in 1948), passen-

ger mileage flown was 176,702,637

26,834,708 (24,056,197 in 1948).—

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other countries concerned

be necessary.—Reuter.

today.

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States and overseas countries as-

sociated with them.

Strasbourg, August 24.

Movement today tabled a

sources," he said. He said the Marshall Plan's European Economic Co-operation The resolution also recommends Organisation (OEEC) cannot achieve the kind of union Europe needs and must therefore be Department, formulate proposals for the progressive integration of brought under the political conthe industrial, commercial and trol of the Assembly.

Permanent Body

cil to co-ordinate investments Parliamentary deputy's son. and promote freedom of multilateral trade.

is certain to play her, proper in- Italy, the Ministry of the Interior now existing between certain tariff barriers," he said. countries associated with them. "The crisis we are in, is

The resolution urges that the temporary and no one here will the Assembly at a session to be system of national autocracy and economic isolation." Bentil Ohlin, Swedish Liberal,

a delegation from the Assembly urged lowering of tariffs and a should enter into negotiations general revaluation of currency with the United States or any as preliminary steps toward treaty modifications which might economic unity. Kasim Gulck, Turkish Conservative, urged assemblymen

draft a sort of 'fourth point" programme for under-developed porreferring to his own country. "There should be what I call a vertical expansion of markets,"

he said .- Associated Press.

Japanese Typewriter Passengers numbered 61,455 Demonstrated

ried 1,490 tons (1,230 in 1948) and demonstrated today, the makers leased without payment. The of which claim it can be operated police believed, however, that his the total mileage flown was as fast as the Western style ma- family had secretly paid the chine although it prints ideog- price for him. rahs, not letters.

ried on the typewriter facing er. Laone Calogere, in exactly the which are the indexes on a revolving drum. The makers claim
the Rube Goldbergian contraption is a vast improvement over
the heavier, more cumbersome
the heavier, more cumbersome
machine used heretofore.

er, Lhone Chieger, in exactly the
same place. Calogero said he
was held for 20 days. He also
asserted he had not paid ransom,
but the police said they doubted
his story.—United Press. machine used heretofore.

In a demonstration including the new machine, the old type machine and the conventional American typewriter operated by an American woman typist, the American nevertheless completed 50 words 10 seconds faster than ficial of Bridgend, Wales, who had the new machine printing 50 been visiting relatives in the Japanese characters-one ideog- United States, died after an emer-

typist in the Public 'Information when the liner arrived from New Office who operated the Ameri- York today. can machine, said: "I understand The ship's surgeon performed out the romanisation of the Japa-nese language throughout Japan, lantic gale. The passenger, John but think once everybody used T. Howell, died 12 hours later while."-United Press.

In Sicilian

Italy's top security authorities He urged the formation of a today ordered light tanks to permanent department of Euro- Sicily to help hunt down the pean economic affairs including bandit, Salvatore Giuliano, and some OEEC officials and res- the outlaw's gang is reported to ponsible to the European Coun- have retaliated by kidnapping a

Tanks were ordered to the "Then we can turn to the top secret meetings attended by United States and demand, if she police commanders from all over ternation role, the lowering of announced. The second meeting is being held tonight, with the Interior Minister, Mario Scelba, proposals should be submitted to see its end if we continue the presiding, and General Fedete de

Gluseppe Datona, national police chief, among those attending. However, even as the security commanders were in conference. reports from Sicily, said:

1. The Sicilian deputy, Giovanni Montalbano, informed the police his young son had disappeared. The police said the boy tions of Europe itself, apparently apparently had been kidnapped by Giuliano's gang in retaliation Big for articles written by Montalbane in the Sicillan press. The articles demanded further police action, including tanks, to wipe out the outlaws.

2. A group of bandits daringly drove into the central square of the village of Vicari, just outside Palermo, in a heavily-armed car and deposited the former Sicilian deputy, Giovanni Lo Monte wealthy landowner. Lo Monte Tokyo, August 24. said he had been kidnapped for A Japanese typewriter was ransom on July 30 but was re-

3. A few hours later, the out-Some 2,000 characters are car- laws released another land own-

OCTOGENARIAN DIES ON SHIP

Southampton, August 24. An 86-year-old retired mine ofraph being counted as one word. gency operation while returning-Miss 'Jacqueline Pritchett, a in the Mauretania, it was learned

it would take 50 years to carry the two hour operation as the roman letters tpyists could save and was buried at sea on Saturenough time to make it worth- day. He had been suffering from a strangulated hernia.-Reuter.





Strasbourg, firemen salute with their axes as Mr. Winston Churchili and M. Charles Frey (right) Mayor of Streebourg Town, Hall, [M.T Frey later presented a Diploma, making him a freeman of the city, to Mr. Churchill who is there for the meeting of the Council of Europe .- AP Photo.

Jessup Condemns Russian Refusal To Co-Operate

Miami, Florida, August 24. Philip Jessup, United States Ambassador At Large, said here today that the Soviet refusal to co-operate in insuring world peace was a challenge that must be taken ap, a threat that must be countered.

Palermo area at the first of two Speaking at the national convention of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Dr. Jessup said, "One of the plain facts in the p sent situation is that the Soviet Union is cont. mptuous of weakness but respects strength."

"If the United states weakens its | international welfare and peace the enrableri corps, and General military strength the peace is not after the war. Dr. Jessup said, secure," he continued. "The same | "This opposition does not invallis true if we weaken our foreign date the strategy of international Army, Navy and Air Force, also policy. It is also true if we do not co-operation. It merely increases the shut-down of 50 installations remain strong economically, the need for united effort on the financially and morally."

After alleging that Russia had refused to co-operate in assuring.

Malay Reds Singapore, August 24. Malayan Communist forces

last night carried out the biggest attack since the early months of the emergency, capturing the town of Mentakap, in Pahang. A force of well over a

hundred stormed the town, besieged the police station, looted shops and houses, and attempted to fire the railway station. The police fought back,

killing six of the invaders, including one woman, and wounding . several others. One special constable was killed. Simultaneously, another

Communist force smashed the water pipeline supplying the town of Kajang, in Selanger, Using sledge hammers, they broke the line in 50 places .--Reuter.

Sweeping Cure For Crime

London, August 24. George Bernard Shaw has there is no freedom. proposed a sweeping cure for crime. Abolish prisons and put prophets of Communism have their inmates to death. The 93-year-old playwright will encourage national indepenset forth his views in a printed dence merely as a stepping stone

his home at Ayet, St. Lawrence. large or a cobra in the garden we have produced in the way of a do not punish it," Shaw said. "We kill it because if we do people of a great country."not it will kill us, just as lice, Reuter. locusts, white ants, mosquitoes, Australian rabbits must be exterminated, not punished.

"Precisely the same necessity

arises in the case of incorrigibly dangerous or mischievous beings, sane or insane idiots, and enemy soldiers," Show continued. "The kindest method so far known is to let criminals go to bed and to sleep as usual and then family. turn on an odourless gas to pre-

basis of clear and unimpeachable

"This opposition is not only obstructive but aggressively so. It not only is a challenge to the beliefs and aspirations of the free peoples but a threat to their security and welfare.

"It is a challenge that must be taken up, a threat that must be countered. There is no reason for hysteria. There is need for calm determination".

Global Strategy

position in world agairs, he -of that great power. He declared that the present the \$1,500,000,000 saving.

need in Europe was to help the countries rebuild themselves in The congressmen whose diseconomic stability and in the tricts would be most affected sense of safety which comes from screamed. State should again be misled into contemplating the fatal step of blow. The civilian cuts broke committing aggression against the this way: democratic forces of the world.

He said that the American military assistance programme for Force 18,000. Europe would turn their shadow armies into effective forces. "The menace of aggressive Communism to the liberties and rights of free peoples is the immediate and pressing problem that must be overcome,"

Turning to the Far East, Dr. Jessup said, "On the Pacific front the great problem is the vast ignorance of hundreds of millions of people on which Communism

"These people do not know that in countries ruled by Communists "They do not know that the

publicly proclaimed that they postcard mailed to editors from to a new and terrible slavery. "They do not know what our free and prosperous life for the

CZECH EXILE IN LONDON

London, August 24. Dr. Jaromia Smutny, the last chief of the Chancellery to President Benes in Czechoslovakia, has arrived in London with his

Smutny escaped from vent them from ever waking. Czechoslovakia into Germany in Enemy soldiers we have to kill July with his wife and two sons, we can" (sic).—Associated and has been granted a visa to settle in Britain.—Reuter.



Brake On Military Spending

The Defence Secretary, Mr. Louis Johnson, slammed a massive brake on the military spending today.

He ordered the discharge of 135,000 civilian employees of the ranging from navy yards to recruit training stations and heavy force reductions at others. He also cut 12,000 reserve officers from active duty list.

It was the most drastic military economy move since the reductions at the end of World War II. Mr. Johnson's 'office expected it. to save \$200,000,000 between now and next June 30, and \$500,000,-000 a year thereafter.

Moreover, the reduction was re-Analysing the United States' ported to be just a starter.

said, "Our peace strategy is Mr. Johnson is aiming at an global. With our Allies we have additional cut of \$1,500,000,000 in prependerant peace force. We the military budget for the next must be constantly alert that fiscal year, beginning on July 1, no trickery on the part of those | 1950. Even with that economy who do not seek peace and that the military spending would no error on our own part brings amount to \$13,400,000,000 of the us to the loss-or to the abuse national budget. But further cuts would be needed to effect

The Navy took the hardest

Navy 76,000, Army 41,000, Air

Air Force Cut

The Air Force reductions include releasing 4,730 civilians from the present force of 10,572. Nine- Air Force bases in the United States were reduced to a caretaker status. Mr. Johnson ordered the Far

East Air Forces reduced 4,780, cutting overall civilian personnel from 15,302 to 10,572. An Air Force spokesman said the manner in which the reduction will be made will be left to the Far East Commander, 'Lleutonant General George Stratemeyer in Tokyo. . .

The spokesman said the force is at present distributed through "If we find a hungry tiger at civilisation and political principles [Japan, the Philippines, Okinawa,

Neither the Army nor the Navy indicated it would make any reductions in the Far East. Deep as the service cuts are, they still leave 7.70,000 civilians on the payrolls of the three services. After reductions, the Army will have 336,000, the Navy 283,000 and the Air Force 151,000.—Associated Press.

Leaves For Montreal Exhibition

London, August 24. John Freeman, Parliamentary Secretary to the British Ministry of Supply, left London by nir tonight for Montreal, where he will open the British section of the Canadian National Ex-

Mr. Freeman said that be was going as a personal trade ambassador for Britain. "I shall visit Canadian en-

gineering firms and try to sell hem-British-goods," he added. He also said that he would call on Mr. C. D. Howe, Canadian Minister of Trade and Com



Alrways Department.

LABOUR TROUBLES N. Atlantic FINLAND FORECAST IN UNIONS EXPELLED

Monde's Criticism Of Britain

Paris, August 24. The influential Conservative evening newspaper "Le Monde" today criticised Britain for allegedly reviving plans for uniting Arab Palestine with the Kingdom of Jordan which, the paper said, was the main subject being discussed during King Abdullah's visit to London. fourth point strategy is being index.... worked out in Washington (the Truman plan for economic and social development of backward regions) everything is happening as if London was trying to secure rapidly a de facto monepoly in

"That the Anglo-Hashemite diplomats are treating bilaterally a question which has been refected by the Arab world and the United Nations as a whole is a fact of such a nature as to complicate the relations of the Foreign Office with several capitals. "This is all the more so since

the Middle East," "Le Monde"

at the same moment the Conciliation Commission is making every effort at Lausanne to settle the complex Palestinian problem.

"Does this British atti'ude fit in with the desire many times proclaimed of the Labour Government to collaborate with France, America and Turkey with a view to putting the Arab countries on their feet" "It is permissible to wonder,"

"Le Monde" commented,- Reuter,

Minister said. "The Government must now gate the Kemt clash state that seriously examine the possibility the pickets opened fire first. The Communist strike Com-"At the moment when the ging wages to the cost of living mittee, contradicts this datatement, claiming that the pickets

Helsinki, August 24.

New labour troubles in Finland were forecast to-

the Trades Union Federation.

night by the Social Democrat Prime Minister,

Dr. Karl Fagerholm, a few hours after the

expulsion of four Communist-led unions from

of abolishing the system of peg-"As tusual, wage carners will suffer most from the Communists'

work of dissension," Dr. Fagerholm said that expulsion was the only course open to the Trades Union Federation (200,000 of whose 300,000 members are supporters of the Social Democrat Party).

"If the Federation had resigned itself to the Communists' deflance, its authority would have disappeared," he declared.

Wage Controls The Employers' Federation urged the Government abolish wage countrols "now that we are to have two competing labour organisations." Eero Hautojaervi, former chief of the Secret Police, who was arrested with 25 other people after a gun-fight in Kemt, West Fin-

land, has been released. The others, who were arrested after a battle between police and pickets in which two died, will

be tried under the Riots Act. A Legal Committee appointed Opposition. by the Government to investi-

Huge Timber Losses From Forest Fires

Washington, August 24. Timber losses from the August outbreak of fires on national forest lands in three Western states may run as high as 100,000,000 board feet, forest service officials said today.

These officials emphasised that this was no more than a "wild guess" based on past experience with fires covering wooded acreages in the West

knowing how much of the burned area is forested and how much is grazing land. They said there would be no basis for the loss estimate until surveys can be made of burned areas in Cali- counted for 11,000 acres of burned fornia, Montana and Idaho.

The burned timber might have been suitable for various usessaw timber pulp or poles. If the loss were 100,000,000 board feet and if all of it were suitable for saw timber that would be enough to build about 10,000 five-room

Officials said, however, that it was doubtful that these assumptions were accurate.

Fire fighters in the field who were contacted by the Washington Headquarters reported today that they were too busy fighting fires even to guess at the damage. Some 3,000 men were reported to be still battling the blazes in the three states. Sixteen fire fighters have died in the fires this month.

Estimates

On the basis of reports from the field, the forest service estimated that more than 40,000 acres of national forest land have been burned during the past three weeks.



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They said they had no way of | The Forest Service chief, Lyle Watts, said there have been tremendous losses in watershed, wildlife and recreational values. He blamed carelessness for two fires which acland. He urged the public to be extremely careful.

> Because of the summer drought, Watts said, fire conditions were more critical now in those three states than at any time in the past 10 years. Whatever the timber loss is, officials said, it is will not be as heavy as the damage to the watershed which will affect the irrigation systems of the important farming areas of the West.

> The fires, stripping off vegetation, laid open to erosion the important watershed areas of Missouri and Columbia rivers, offcials said. Rains will wash the soil and neils from these lands into the streams. And heavy silt may tend to spoil water supplies for irrigation, to the extent that muddy waters will dump their silt on the bottom of irrigation projects and permanently reduce the water carrying capacity of the reservoir.

Furthermore, irrigation ditches may be clogged by muddy waters, officials said. Irrigation is vitally important to farming in Eastern Oregon, Southern Idaho and large of California.—United

Stiffening Vietminh Policy Seen

Salgon, August 24. French officials here today predicted a general stiffening of Vietminh (Nationalist) policy and tactics as the Chinese Communist forces draw nearer to the

Tongking frontier. The formation of a Victnam Communist party in Nationalisi controlled Indo-China might be one outcome of this change, they said. Dr. . Ho Chi-Minh, the Vietminh leader dissolved the previous party in 1945. Support for the belief that he might now be anxious to align

his movement with that of Mao Tac-tung's victorious Chinese Communist army, was seen by observers here in the tone of several "Voice of Vietnam' broadcasts, this week. In one of these, Dr. Ho's mouthpiece radio denounced the agreement in March this year between the French President,

M. Auriol, and the "puppet Bao

Dai," and declared it null and

The Unions-Transport, Provisions and Building Workers, Forestry Men and Timber Floaterswere barred because they refused to call off their unofficial strikes by midnight yesterday. 'New unions will be formed in place of those expelled, and this can give rise to two competing unions in the same work-place," the Prime

Arrest Of German Red Ordered

Berlin, August 24. General Jean Ganeval, the French Commandant in Berlin. today ordered the arrest of Karl Scholz, Chairman of the anti-Soviet "Free Communist Party" in Western Berlin.

A spokesman for General Ganeval said that Scholz would be brought before a military court on a charge of illegal political

Last March the "Western" Kommandatura rejected an application presented by Scholz for a licence for a political group calling itself the "Communist Party

Scholz undertook at the time to desist from all political activity in this direction

Last Sunday Scholz organised a public political meeting in the French sector at which the group "Free Communist Party" was formed with himself at its head. The French spokesman sale that Scholz drew in a considerable number of former members of the "Communist Party Opposition."

Breach Of Order

his arrest for fallure to observe | for the Kommandatura order not to | namely, the safeguarding form a party on the lines of the | world peace." original "Communist Party Opposition" and for breach of his personal undertaking.

But, the spokesman said, this order by General Ganeval did not prejudice the future attitude of the French Military Government towards the licensing of political Scholz is a former senior mem-

ber of the Berlin Police Force and of the Socialist Unity Party. "We German Communists follow with greatest interest and attention the national struggle of the Yugoslav Communists and admire your courageous resistance against the Kremlin and the Cominform.

Wagon-Lits Strikers Adamant

Paris, August 24. Restaurant and sleeping car attendants of the strike-bound International Wagon-Lits Company shouted angrily today when union leaders announced here that their talks with Public Works Ministry officials had failed.

The Ministry's reply was same as when the strike began 18 days ago: "Go back to work and we will talk terms after-The attendants voted to con-

linue the strike. Pickets at the Wagons-Lits sheds at one point near Paris this morning lay on the track to pre-vent "Scabs" from hitching a sleeping-car onto an express.

Into Effect

Washington, August 24. The North Atlantic Pact, binding each of its 12 signatories to go to the aid of any other mem- Vocabulary: ber in the event of an attack, 388. (col) (1) wool. came into effect today when instruments of ratification were 387, (pat) but(1), deposited here by France, Den- 388. (chi) jee(1). mark, Italy and Portugal.

The other signatories, including Britain and the United States, of the 12-nation Pact had already deposited their in- 389.)mak) (3)muk. struments of ratification. How- 390, (shik) shik(1). ever, the Pact could not come 391. (hung) (1)hoong. into .orce until . the seven 392. (laam) (1) laam. founder nations had ratified it. Combinations: France today was the seventh. | 180, (1) Wool son(3).

At a formal ceremony at the White House President Truman 181. Jee(1) hong(2). said that it was a momentous 182. Jee(1) deem(3). He added, "By this treaty we 184. (3) Muk shul(2) but(1). are not only seeking to establish 185, Shik(1) shul(2).

freedom from aggression and 186. (1) Hoong shik(1). from the use of force in the 187. Fun(2) (1)hoong shik(1). North Atlantic communities, but 188. (1) Lanra shik(1). we are also actively atternating 12. Oah(3)-1ch(1) shik(1). to promote and preserve peace Transport and Communication: (Continued) throughout the world." He said it seemed parti-

cularly appropriate today "to rededicate ourselves to the carrying out of the great task we have set for ourselves-the preservation of stability and peace".

Need Not Fear The President continued, "No nation need fear the results of our co-operation towards this and. On the contrary, the more closely the nations of the Atlantic community can work together for peace, the better for all peoples everywhere." The American Secretary of State, Mr. Dean Acheson, and

the Secretary of Defence, Louis Johnson, attended brief ceremony at the President's | The Atlantic Pact was signed in. Washington on April 4 by the Foreign Ministers of the 12

signatory countries. M. Henri Bonnet, the French Ambassador, who deposited his country's instrument of ratifica- | 223, (2)Ngaw (3)wah (2)ngaw tion today, described the treaty as decisive step towards the organisation of security.

He added, "Threatening no one by implementing- the principles of self-help and mutual aid, the signatory nations will strengthen themselves to the point of making invasion and war impossible in the North Atlantic and thus helping General Ganeval had ordered effectively to attain the longed objective of mankind,

> Italy's Support The !Italian Charges d'Affaires, Signor Marie Luciolli, promised Italy's active and unreserved contribution of her in, support of the North iantic treaty.

Presenting the Italian instrument of ratification, he said, "Italy views this treaty as a step Yesterday he sent a telegram to of fundamental importance for Marshal Tito in Belgrade saying, the maintenance of peace in the

"The principles upon which it is based, self-help and mutual ald, are the same which inspire Italian foreign policy and correspond to the aspirations of the Italian people for a lasting peace. "Italy intends to bring the

active and unreserved contribution of her moral and material possibilities and of her ancient tradition of civilisation in the organisation of the common defence as is the case in international economic co-operation and in all other fields of collaboration among peoples."

The Portuguese Ambassador, Senhor Theotonio Pereira said that the treaty was "an honest and determined step towards security and peace":

He continued, "It is for me a privilege to place in your hands for deposit with the United States of America the instrument of ratification by Portugal of the North Atlantic Treaty. "My country joined this Pact

because we saw in it an honest and determined step howards security and peace. We hope the same spirit which united this group of nations in the Treaty will lead our common efforts to A short fight with the police preserve and strengthen the followed and the car was finally heritage of our civilisation."-

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(To be continued)

BY S.K. LEE

Lesson 37 (T)

. A branch. A bough, A twig.

stiff or hard.

Ink. (in solid form).

An answer to a letter

Ink. (in liquid state).

A branch firm.

A branch store.

A fountain pen.

letter.

envelopes.

There was no ink.

A colour.

Brown:

To answer with a letter.

I received a letter from home.

got out some note-paper and

As I had no typewriter, I

I picked up a fountain pen.

I called a fokt to bring me ink.

He brought in a bottle of red

Having completed filling the

pen, I (then) started, to

l said I didn't want red.

I wanted blue-black.

write the letter.

(then) had to write with a

no letters home.

Classifier for pens, rods, flags.

and long things which are

A spring.

183. (3) Muk shul(2).

foong(1) son(3).They asked me why I had sent 215. (2)Kul-(3)day (3)mun I had to answer them with a

(2)ngaw (3)dzau yecoo(3)

224. (2) Ngaw yeeoo(3) (1) laam-

Slovak Reds' New Attack On Church

Prague, August 24. moral and material possibilities Slovak Communists on Wednesday launched new attacks on Czech Roman Catholic bishops which church authorities believe may herald a full offensive by the government in the State-Church fight.

> The attacks, reported by the Slovak Communist organ "Pravda," accuse Catholic leaders of wartime collaboration with the Nazis, and of now promoting subversive activities.

The Communist - dominated union of Slovak Fighters for Freedom, wartime resistance organisation, published a resolution stat-

"We do not forget the sinful activities of compromised high clerics during the Slovak national uprising just five year ago. Members of the hierarchy then clebrated the victory of the German murderers and their killing of the

Slovak patriots by special masses. **Demand Punishment** "We are determined to prevent further interference with socialist reconstruction .-- Associat-

THE MACHINE

march toward socialist reconstruction. We demand that all such subversive activities be punished." Another attack was made by

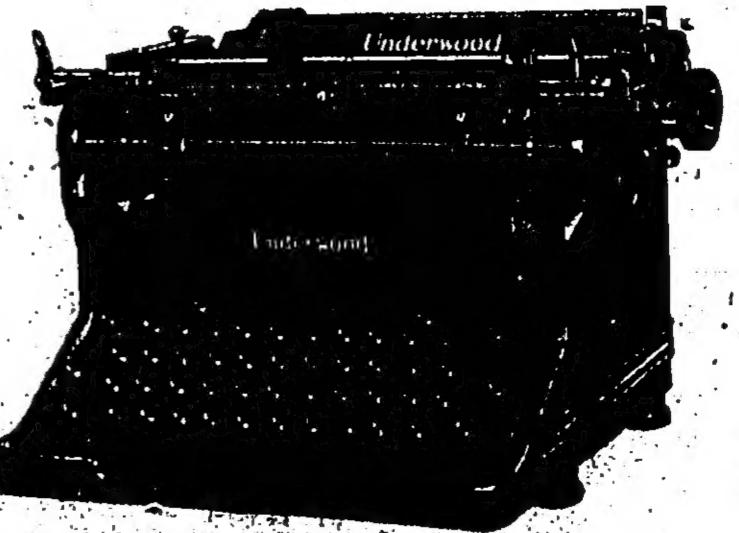
Steran Bastovansky, secretary general of the Slovak Communist party at a meeting at Zilina. He claimed that the church was waging a class fight and was ordering priests to engage in politi-cal disputes with the state because they (the hierarchy) have become the tools of American capitalism

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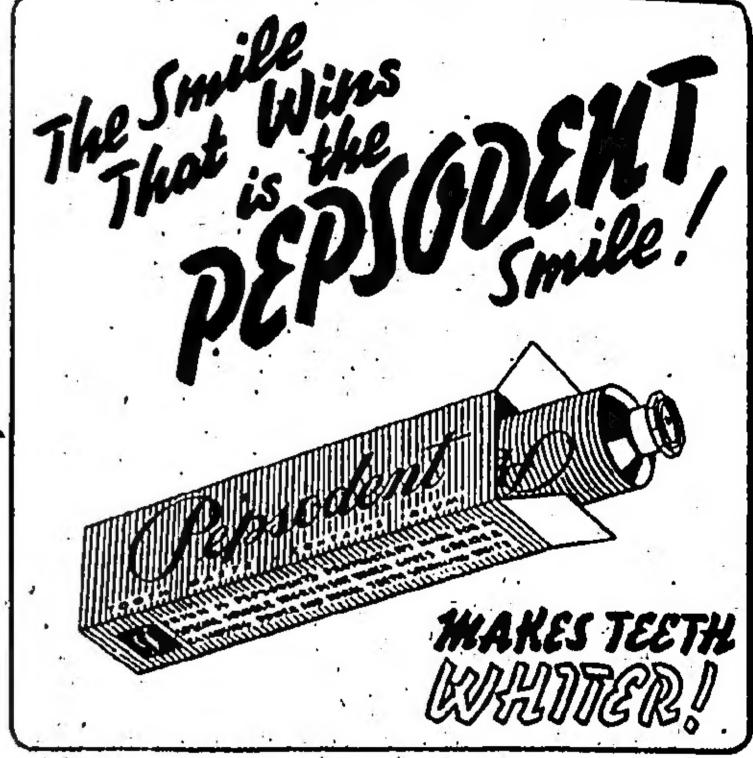


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said observers were to re-

establish the status quo when-

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the news blackout on the mili-

tary situation in Indonesia, the

Board warned the two conflicting

parties to cease publicising cease-

fire violations by their enemies.

It said neutral observers were

investigating long lists of allega-

tions already made by both the

Minister for Public Works con-1 ber.

Earlier, the Dutch Director

areas, particularly in Jogjakarta.

Recent travellers in the area said

it was economically dead, with

trade and traffic at a standstill.-

TRADE TALKS

Sweden and Austria are likely

to open negotiations with Pakis-

tan in the near future on bilate-

ral trade pacts, it was authorita-

Pakistan's Minister for Com-

merce and Industries. Fazlur

Rehman, visited Sweden during

his tour of Europe earlier this

tively learned here tonight.

POP

Karachi, August 24

WITH PAKISTAN

United Press.

year.-Reuter.

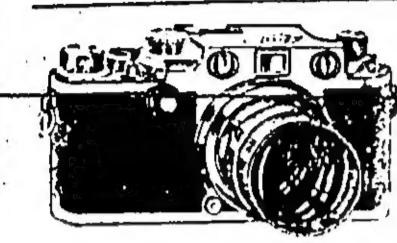
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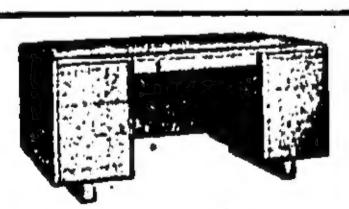
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"King," performing scallon in a Dutch Circus, juggles for the benefit of customers at a Cafe terrace in The Hague. The sealion's fish and wand act was a welcome break, for the Haguers, sweltering in sticky heat.-AP Photo,

Prosecutor Accuses Von Manstein

Hamburg, August 24. Field-Marshal Fritz Erich Bon Manstein, smartly dressed in a brown suit, sat in the dock of a hushed court-room here today and heard the Prosecutor, Sir Arthur Comyns-Carr, accuse him of playing a major part in "the foulest crimes on a very wide scale" committed by the Nazis when they occupied Poland.

Reading from a novel-size brief, Sir Arthur, opening his case against the Field-Marshal on 17 war crimes charges, described the former Nazi military leader's action as various and horrible breaches of the laws of war.

Arabs, Jews

Agree To

Survey

Israel and the Arab States

agreed here today to co-operate in

an economic survey of the Middle

East aimed at hastening settle-

ment of the Palestine refugee

The survey was proposed by

member of the United Nations

The Commission has cabled the

It is understood that plans for

About 40 members of the sur-

vey group, under a United States

Chairman, are expected in Lau-

They will leave soon afterwards

Estimates of the number of

How many of them could be

re-settled in Palestine and the

neighbouring Arab states is

largely governed by economic

"Dixiecrats"

Expelled

Washington, August 24.

The Democratic Party National

Committee today expelled mem-

election campaign because of his

The States affected are Loui-

siana, Mississippi, South Carolina and Alabama. Among the mem-

bers affected was the Governor

of South Carolina, Mr. J. Strom

Thurmond. He contested, the

election as a "State's Rights"

candidate.—Reuter.

considerations.—Reuter.

Arab refugees range between

separate meetings today.

Nations'

Conciliation

Lausanne, August 24.

Commission,

The 61-year-old Field-Marshal pleaded "Not Guilty" to all charges as his wife listened from the public gallery.

Sir Arthur, quoting from the judgment of the Nuremberg Tribunal, said that high-ranking generals "had been responsible in large measure for the miseries and suffering that have fallen on millions of men, women and children and added that without their military guidance, the aggressive ambitions of Hitler and his fellow Nazis would have been academic

and sterile. Sir Arthur submitted that Field-Marshall Von Manstein was tactically in a position to give orders

to the various Nazi organisations, Mr. Paul A. Porter, American including the ss., the Gestapo, the Military Police, and the Security "No one in a position of responsibility such as Manstein in the

General, Mr. Trygve Lie, asking Polish campaign could any longer have any illusions the grim infor his help. humanity and ruthlessness of the such a survey have been under Nazi war machine," he said, international discussion for many **Executive Power**

Continuing, Sir Arthur 'said that Manstein wielded executive power in occupied territory and argued that the question of sanne next week for consultations. obeying orders from superiors

was no defence. for the Middle East. "That the foulest crimes in fact have been committed on a very wide scale, particularly in the 500,000 and 1,000,000: USSR, in the area of his commands, will, I suggest, be overwhelmingly proved," Sir Arthur declared.

Wehrmacht and the German Army were obviously criminal, Sir Arthur continued, and by any standard of civilised nations they were contrary to the customs of war and accepted standards of human-

commanding officer of intelligence must have seen and understood their criminal nature, and participation in implementing them, tacit or otherwise, any silent acquiescence in bers from four Southern States their enforcement by his subor- which broke away from Predinates, constituted a criminal act sident Truman in the last The trial is continuing.-Reu- civil rights for negroes pro-

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Twelve-Year-Old Guerilla

Has Hectic Battle Career

kan, three miles South of Jog-

Bobby proudly removed

In the back by Dutch fire.

jakarta. He was hit three times

faded and frayed shirt, inexplic-

Nursed back to health by his

He was released by the Dutch

three days later, on June 1. Un-

der the terms of a provisional

agreement reached on May 7, the

Dutch army withdraws from Jog-

jakarta Province, the Republic is

restored, political prisoners re-

leased and a cease-fire ordered.

Republican Army officers.

recognition of his work, "commis-

sioned" him a "temporary pri-

vate" in the army. He has now

been ordered to return to school.

To Join Up Again

I AM NOT -

IM TAKING IT

family doctor, he got back his old

however, ran afoul of Dutch

ably dyed purple, to display the

Jogjakarta, August 24.

Indonesian guerillas come in all shapes, sixes-and

He was hit three times by bullets and taken prisoner

United Nations military obser- Jogiakarta, but was wounded in

vers have dubbed him "Bobby | the March 10 raid against Pado-

-Nations pente talks lost Decem- job of guerilla courier. Bobby

retreating Indonesians, Bobby rest on the charge of aiding the

guerillas.

twice. He escaped once.

Breen,' and the name looks like it

"But I can play a harmonica if

Bobby was in the 5th grade at

school when the Dutch Army

launched its surprise parachute

attack in the middle of United

methods to alleviate economic a Republican army commander near Sentole, 12 miles West of

pressures in Republican-controlled evacuated Jogjakarta with the Jogjakarta, and placed under ar-

joined him, more as a mascot than

Then he promptly proceeded to

Opens Fire

While on a courier mission

within the capital on January

5, he opened fire with an auto-

matic on Dutch sentries guard.

ing the power station. The

Dutch seized him and impri-

He engineered a daylight pri-

Rejoining guerillas entrenched

son break while on a work patrol.

around their city, Bobby took

part in the February attack

DO NOT TAKE YOUR

TO HEART!

BROKEN ENGAGEMENT

against Bantoel, 10 miles South of

soned him for 22 days.

to determine the best | When his 30-year-old brother, patrols again. He was caught

is going to stick-nithough he ad-

mits he cannot sing a note.

it will help," he said.

surprise everyone.

a good example is Noto Wardani, a 12-year-

old warrior who entered this city with the Re-

publican Army, after his hectic seven-month



room, but only with the warn-

ing that "if we are attacked

again, I shall rejoin the guerit-

His family still lives in Jogja-

karta, including his father who is

a religious teacher, his mother.

and three sisters. His brother is

still with the guerilla army in

Asked why he fought the Dutch,

Bobby fingered his British Owen

sub-machine-gun and said, "for

personal reasons and to defend

my religion and country." Like

almost all other Indonesians he

Asked what he would like to be

when he grew up, the youthful

"But-eren't, you one already

"Not enough," he bluntly re-

ROUND-TABLE

CONFERENCE

Indonesia got down to work here

today when the Steering Com-

mittee met to prepare the agenda

The Committee, which also

considered the composition of

committees, sat for two and a half

Other conference members had

for the main conference.

Suitable reply

The Hague, August 24.

The round-table conference on .

warrior said, "A patriot."

he was questioned,

plied.-United Press.

Dutch-occupied Java.

is a Moslem.

Little trouble is expected a quiet day "preparing for the

from that order since he does hard committee work expected at

want to get back to the class. the end of this week."-Reuter.

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Gilbert Vinter (BBCTS). 1: 35 p.m. Pance to Guy Lembardo and Rio Rinal Canadians. 11.00 p.m - Rollie News Reel (Lander

11 15 p.m. Wenther Report and Sommary of Nows.

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6.45-Do You Remember (lekin Synd). 7,00. Candle Light and Silver, (Rondon). 7.45-The Soper Cola Programme. 8.60-BHC News.

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10.15-Light Munic. 10,30-Time for Music. 11.00-Stardud.

11.15-Soft Lights and Sweet Music. Midnight, Close Down.

To The Nation

(Continued from Page 1)

Communist capture of Amoy Nationalist news agency today that pilots will land in Comadmitted the port was "isolated" munist territory and sell from overland communications.

A Central News dispatch from tish has been returned to pre- previous day. Amoy said the Chinese Navy com- vent its surrender to the Commandeered 68 craft in order to munists. maintain seaward communications and added that foreign ships entering the port were subject to a question whether the Comsearch.

rushed to reinforce the outer de- and this has, killed Chiang's last fences of Amoy, according to hope of regalning control of his teliable military sources.

yun and Llu Ju-ming. The overall Fukier various S. Pibel. 6.30 pm. Cantenese by Rodfo Given by now under General Tang En-po,

General Chu Shao-liang, erstwhile Fuklen Governor, is report-1 00 pm "Music Lovers Bour" - Classic ed to be under attack by the Conent Request Programme, Presented trol Yuan for his hasty withdrawal from Foochow.

It is reported that he had kept the news of his personal evacuation from Foochow mum from his close aides, resulting in the pro- 1 vincial government being unable against the kidnapping of an to make preparations to evacuate Iranian farmer and the beating before the Communist onslaught of two women who tried to save Yorks and His Concest Orchostra. on Fukien.

Complete Occupation

plug announced this maining the frontier in the Western Caspian complete accupation of the area when two Soviet soldiers Changshan Islands North of the crossed the border and kidnapped Shantung peninsula, on August the man, the Iranians charged. 20. Changshan was a nationalist They said when the two women base to enforce the blockade of attempted to interfere, they were Tientsin, and this may be relax- hattered with rifle butts by the

General Wu Te-chen, Minister without Portfolio, meanwhile spirits, Minister Wu admitted to A protest was then made on gova reporter that he brought some erament level. letters from Japanese leaders to Premier Yen Hal-shan and other He said he had no knowledge of the nature of the letters.

The popular notion is that many Japanese ex-servicemen want to volunteer to fight the Reds in North China or to serve in the Nationalist air force. Chinese newspapers reported of coming second front but were vague about details.

Reuter reports it iwas learned fugees.-United Press. in Canton today that the Emergency Supreme Council of the Kuomintang will meet tomorrow

Acting Prosident Li Tsung-jen will preside over the meeting in Generalissimo Chlang Kai-shek's

General Wu Te-chen, will re- Churchill sion to Jepan, -

United Press, in a report ported Wednesday. from San Francisco says, Nationalist China is still recolving arms from the United States despite the American Government's abandonment of in the Chiang Kai-shek govern. Press. ment. This is according to a representative of the Rocksfeller Foundation in China and Formosa.

Arms Unloaded

Dr. Harland Paul, who arrived in the U.S. aboard the liner, President Wilson, said the arms unloaded at the Formosan port of Keelung by ships salling from the Pacific Coast were purchased under the 1048 aid to China programme. "They are still being used to equip large Nationalist garrisons on the island."

He said that nevertheless the moral of the troops in Chiang's Formosa stronghold is at a low

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bebb. He said that China Air | Unregletered correspondence only for Force planes are given only Shaughal, Tientain and occupied China enough petrol to fly hulfway to can be accepted at senders risk, and will appeared imminent as the official the Chinese mainland for fear be forwarded as opportunity offers. planes. He said the light cruiser if malls close before 10 s.m., Registered given to the Chinese by the Bri- and Parcel Posts close at 5 p.m. on the

Dr. Paul said, "Your guess is as GPO closing times. good as mine," when he replied to munists would attack Hong Kong He said everyone in the Orient Two armies, newly trained and feels that the United States has American equipped, have been chandoned Chian for the present

country. The Rockefeller official has The armies have been under the been stationed in . China since training programme of General 1946. He said his organisation is Sui Li-jen. They will-fight arm moving its Orient headquarters. in arm with the troops com- to India because of the impussimanded by Generals Li Linng- ble working conditions in China. -Associated Press, "China Mail" correspondent, Reuter and United

Kidnapping Border

Teheran, August 24. Iran has protested to Russia him in the latest border incident, it was learned today.

The three peasants were har-The Communist Radio in Pei- vesting their crops along the two soldiers.

The commander of the Iranian gave a tea party to high officials frontier garrison protested to his vesterday afternoon to report on Russian opposite without any rehis mission to Japan. In high sult, the Iranian authorities said.

One Iranian official said. "We nigh government officials here, are sure the Russians will reply the peasant was a political refugee seeking asylum in the Soviet Union."

> The Iranian authorities believed the recent wave of such kidnappings along the border was part of a Russian campaign to force the extradition of a Soviet officer and two Soviet soldiers who recently fled to Iran as political re-

BAD WEATHER DELAYS CHURCHILL

Strasbourg, August 24. Bad weather forced Winston postpone until to port to the meeting on his mis- Thursday his flight back to Strasbourg from his long weekend on the Riviera, his aides re-

> Churchill is leading British Conservative delegate to the European Consultative Assembly Strasbourg. - Associated

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p.m., (Ord.) 3.30 p.m. Airmail for Swatew and Amor: Airmail for Chungklog and Chengtu, (Reg. 3 p.m., (Ord.) 2:30 p.m., Airmail for Bangkok, (Reg.) 4.30 p.m., (Ord.) 5 p.m..

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The European Assembly was taken by surprise at

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Movement Clash At Assembly

privileges of the Assembly.

Assembly," Mr. Dalton said.

Observers interpreted the at-

tack as the first open sign of

which claims to have as its mem-

Movement-to order the docu-

French Opposition

M. Andre Philip, a French

Socialist, jumped up to oppose

the British Labbur group. It

declared. Representatives word

signed the document as such.

The division between those who

are campaigning for quick action

to unify Europe's economy and

those who approach the question

cautiously became more pro-

nounced as the debate drow to n'

tabled was the European Move-

ment's resolution, signed by Mr.

The most downright plan

It called for detailed proposals

for the setting up of d "Euro-

pean Economic Department" to

be submitted to a special session

help, the Committee of Ministers

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close economic union. Mr. Dalton demanded, "Is It | mid oversens countries associated

Strasbourg, August 24.

dignified and proper that we with them. The Committee of Ministers should be puppels whose strings are pulled by persons who are was also asked to take into senot members of this Astembly?" count the need for establishing free convertibility between the · He declared that he thought currencles of members States and the circular was a breach of the the "maintenance in some form of the system of economic preferences now existing between "It seems to me most improper certain member States and overthat an outside organisation seas countries associated with

should take credit for a resolu- them." tion signed by members of this An Irish speaker, Mr. William Norion, feared a Customs Union, and told the Assembly that his country would not join in anysmouldering resentment between thing that meant the closing of

the British Labour group and the her secondary industries. largely Conservative Movement His speech attacked Britain for deliberately making Ireland bers more than half of the As- into a "ranch for cheap sheep and cheap beef," during her period The British Labour Govern- of "subjection."

ment declined to attend The His fellow countryman, Mr Hague conference last year which Frank Aiken, said that any plan gave birth to the European Move- for a European Customs Union ment by welding scattered or would be madness and socially ganisations working for the same disastrous.-Reuter.

Mr. Dalton asked the Assembly's President, Mr. Paul-Heart Buy New Spank-who is himself a President of Horiour of the European Guinea ment to be referred to the Committee of Procedure and Pri- Rubber Stock

Sydney, August 24. Australia will buy and market all existing rubber stocks in New Guinen, the Australian External Territories Minister, Mr. Edward John Ward, afmounced was through the European here today.

Movement that the Council of As a result of planters' requests Europe had been formed, He for Commonwealth aid, experts were investigating the rubber inpresent as Individuals and had dustry in New Guinea and Papua,

Mr. Spank, who had insisted More than 600 tons of rubber all through the scene that he were stacked in New Guinea did not understand the protest stores and a small quantity in and could not see that unything Sydney when the Government wrong had been done, eventually stepped in a fortnight ago, he decided to send the matter for added.

"There is little doubt that discussion by the Committee of Australian manufacturers could use the whole of the territories' rubber output, as it amounts to only seven per cent of Australian consumption," he concluded .--

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Exchange

New York, August 25. The stock market finished low moving session with a number of key issues a trifle higher. Small gains were in a majority most of Wednesday and at times it appeared possible for a full sized rally to get going.

the end of its two-day economic debate tonight when a storm brake out between British Labour Demand was too mild, though, to start a decisive trend. Only representatives and the powerful European 750,000 shares were turned over, including a 20,000-share block of Commonwealth and Southern. Mr. Hugh Dalton, a British Government Minister, Higher prices were paid most protested that the Movement had circulated a of the day for U.S. Steel, Studebaket. Woolworth, United Airdocument claiming credit for a resolution on craft. Swift International, American Telephone, Southern Pacific and Celotex. Sears Roebuck, Goodrich, Gen-

Tending to hold back were eral Motors, Douglas Aircraft, Consolidated Natural Gas, American Smelting. Anaconda and Johns Manville.

Dow Jones averages: Stocks 63.50. 20 Industrials 178.78. 15 Ralls 45.60. 10 Utilities 36.47. Closing quotations: Alaska Juneau 3%. American Can 93. American Smelting 461/2. American Telephone 144%. American Tobacco 70%. American Waterworks 7%. Anaconda Copper 2614. Aviation Corp. 5%. Baldwin Locomolive 10. Barnsdall 48. Bendix Aviation 28%. Bethlehem Steel 201/2. Beoing Aircraft 19%. Borden Co. 44. Canadian Pacific 1214. J. I. Case 38%. Chrysler 57 %. Colgate 39%. Commercial Solvents 15%. Corn Products 03. Du Pont 50%. Eastman Kodak 42%. General Electric 3711. General Motors 59%. Goodrich 61%. Goodyear 40%. Homestoke Mining 42%. International Harvester 2614. International Paper 52%. International Tel & Tel 8%, Johns Manville 39%. Kennecott Copper 46%. Montgomery Ward 52%. National Distillers 2014.

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Southern Pacific 39%. Standard Brands 19%. Standard Oil of Cal. 671/2. Standard Oil of N.J. 67%. Stadebaker 22. Union Bag 24. Union Carbida 391/4.

U.S. Rubber 33. U.S. Steel 221/4. Westinghouse 24%... Youngstown Sheet & Tube 61%. U.S. Lines 15%. Gen. Pub. Utilities 14%. Remington Rand 91/4,

Corporate bonds moved narrowly. U.S. government bonds held, steady in over the counter dealings. Marked up in the curb were cities service, Consolidated Mining and Humble Oil, Lower were Rome Cable and Waltham. -Associated Press.

US dollars continued weak yesterday. Opening at HK\$6.06 the rate fluctuated between \$6.05 and \$6.07, and it closed at

TP was but through at HK\$0.05. Sterling dropped to HK\$16.40.

Australian pounds opened at HK\$12.50 and closed at \$12.40. at HK\$13.10 a 100 nominal. the same us the provious day. NEL Guilders, went up to HR\$29.50 a 100 after opening at

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TODAY Andrew Jackson (Wallers) ex-Atlantic

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YESTERDAY Axet Selen (Mee Mac) for Manila Benreoch (Loxley) for Kohalabang. Brudeverett (Everett) Tor Kobe. Chi Kuang (CMSN) for Resident, Esning (Jardine) for Swatow. Hat Who (South China) for Canton,

Shipping Departures

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28 Oyonnax (MM) for North Africa. Boptember 17 Tilbondok (RIL). 21 Chinen (MM) for North Africa,

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AIRCRAFT MOVEMENTS

Arrivals TODAY.

AIR FRANCE ex-Halphong, Hanois 8 p.m. CNAC ex-Canton: 10.20 a.m., 12. noon, 1.20 p.m., 2.50 p.m., 3.59 p.m., 5 p.m. 6 p.m.: ex-Bwatow: 11.10 s.m.; ex-Armoy via Swatow: 5.46 p.m.; ex-Fourhow via Amoya 12.58 p.m.; ex-Halkow vin Canton: 5,40 p.m. CATC ex-Kunming via Liuchew, Canton: 6.30 p.m. R.R. AIRWAYS ex-Centons 10.40 a.m. 12.35 a.m., 2.10 p.m., 4.40 p.m., 8.10 p.m., 1.15, p.m.

p.m.: ex-New York via London Istanbul, Danisseus, Karachi, Cal cutta, Hangkok: 2.15 p.m. POAB ex-Bangkake 4 p.m. BOAC ex-Southampton via Hangkok;

5,40 p.m.

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TOMORROW CNAC ex-Canton: 10.30 a.m., 12 noon. 1.20 p.m., 8.50 p.m., 16 թ.m., 6 թ.m. ex-Swatow: 11.80 a.m.; extAmny via Bwatow: 5.45 p.m.; ex-Talpeh vla Canton: 6.40 p.m.: ex-Talpeh via Tainan, Swatow, Canton: 1.35 p.m.; ex-Fouchuw via Amoyt 4.50 n.m.: -z-Calcutta via Rangoon, Kunming: 5.25 p.m.: ex-Yulin vin Haikuw, Canton: 6.40 p.m.; ex-Halkow via

Canton: 2.40 p.m.; ex-Tokyo via Talpeht 5 p.m. CATC ex-Talpeh via Amor, Swatow 6.26 p.m. HK AIRWAYS ex-Conton: 10.40 m.m.

12,55 p.m., 2.10 p.m., 4.40 p.m., 4.10 p.m., 7.15 p.m. PAA ex-San, Francisco via Honolulu, Midway, Wake, Guam, Manilar 1.46 p.m.: ex-New York via London, Intenbul, Damaseus, Karachi, Cal-Cutta, Bangkoki 2.15 p.m.-PAL ex-San Francisco via Honolulu, Wake, Guam, Manila: 10 a.m.

SUNDAY

BOAC ex-Blugapure: 5 p.m.

CNAC ex-Canton: 10.30 s.m., 12 noon, 1.20 p.m., 2.30 p.m., 3.30 p.m., 5 p.m., 6 p.m.; ex-Swatow: 11.15 a.m.; ex-Amny vir. Swatow; 5.45 p.m.; ex-Taipeh via Amoy: 4.50 p.m.; cs-Chungkles via Kwellin, Liuchow, Canton: 4.40 p.m.; ex-Changking via Canton: 6.40 p.m.; rx-Halkow via Canton: 2.40 p.m.; ex-flan Francisco via Honolula, Wake, Gram t 11 a.m. CATC ex-Changking via Canton: 2.25

(PA ex-Manila: 12 noon; ex-Singapore via Bangkok: 2,45 p.m. HK AIHWAYS ex-Canton's 10.40 n.m., 12.55 p.m., 2.40 p.m., 4,49 p.m., 6.10 p.m., 7.15 p.m. PAA ex-San Francisco via Hopoluly. Wake, Tokyo, Okinawa: 12.45 p.m. PRAATHENS ex-Oslo, Bangkok: 49.m.

BOAC ex-Sinenpore: 5 p.m. Departures

TODAY CNAC for Canton: 9 a.m., 10.80 a.m., 11.30 a.m., 1 p.m., 1 p.m., 3.30 p.m., 4,80; p.rs.; Bwatow: 5.15 a.m.; Amoy via Swatow: 12 noon: Tainch via Canton, Swatow, Tainan: 1946 a.m.: Foochow via Amoy: 4.45 a.m.; Rangoon via Kunming: 9.50 a.m.; Kunming via Canton, Liuchowt 9 n.m.; Halkow via Canton; S a.m.; Tokyo via Taipeh: Ba.m.

CATC for Kunming: 7 s.m.; Canton: 1.15 p.m. CPA for Singapore via Uangkok; 7 n.m. HK AIRWAYS for Canton: 9 a.m. 11,15 a.m., 12.50 p.m., I p.m., 4.80 p.m., 5.20 p.m. PAA for New York vin Hangkok, Calcutta, Karachi, Damacaus, Istanbul, London: 3.30 p.m.; San Francisco via Oklnawa, Tokyo, Wake, Honolulu:

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5.30 p.m.: Ban Francisco via Manila.

TOMORROW AIR FRANCE for Halphong, Hangly CNAC for Canton: 9 a.m., 10.20 a.m., 11,30 s.m., 1 p.m., 2 p.m., 2,30 p.m., 4,30 p.m.; Swatow: 8,15 a.m.; Amoy via Ewatow: 12 noon; Talpeh via Canton: 6 a.m.; Foochow via Amoy: 8.45 a.m.; Haikow via Canton: 8 a.m.; Yulin via Canton, Halkow: 8 m.m. CATC for Talpels via Swalow, Amoy:

E s.m.; Amoy: 7 s.m. CPA for Manifes 3.30 p.m. HK AHWAYS for Canton: 9 a.m., 11.15, a.m., 12.30 p.m., 1- p.m., 4.10 p.m., 5,20 p.m.; for Manilat 9 a,m. PAA for San Francisco : via Manila, Guam, Wake, Midway, Honolulus PAD for San Francisco, via Manila,

Gunn, Wake, Honolulu: 10 a.m. BOAC for Bingapores 10 a.m.

BUNDAY. CNAC for Cantons 9 a.m., 10.89 a.m. 11,80 a.m., 1. p.m., 2 p.m., \$,50, p.m., 4.10 p.m.: 8watow: 8.15 a.m.; Amor via Bwatow: 12 noga; Talpel via Amoyi E.45 m.m.; Calcutta vir Kunming, Rangbort' 9.30 a.m ; Chung king via Canton, Liuchow, Kweilite: 8.10 a.m.; Chungkings. 2.50 a.m. Beikow, via Canton: & n.m. CATC for Chungking: 7 a.m.; Canton: HK AIRWAYS for Canton: 9 a.m. 11,15 n.m., 12.50 p.m., 2, p.m., 4.50 n.m. 5,50, p.m.

POAB for Singapore via Bangkott;

New York, August 24.
The New York Times said today that political and strategic interests as vital to the United States as to Britain, inight by harmed by the dollar maxine.

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KENT SCORE 89 FOR LOSS OF TWO WICKETS

Canterbury, August 25. The weather was fine and the wicket good here today when Kent continued their first innings against the New Zealanders from their overnight score of one for no wickets, in reply to the tourists' first innings total of 358. By lunch time, the county had scored 89 runs for the loss of two wickets.

Acheson's Appeal

(Continued from Page 1)

A high level advisory group headed by Dr. Phillip Jeracop would work with all govern mental agencies and sift a mass of documents and opinionin order to get, at what they thought were the true facts After the Jessup group had made its findings and reported to Mr. Acheson on what they thought could be done in the Far East, he then would discuss possible courses of action with the Senate and House over possible courses of action

Impartial Judgment

In this way, the Secretary said policy arrived at would be been upon the judgment of an inprofid group, not connected with the Department, which would be co-ordinated with the openions of Congressional compositees, He said in that way he hoped to fine policy which would not be finter with charges and counter-charge connected with the United States past action in Chara. In recent years the United Elates faced two major decisions regarding the Charlese Commun-

ists. Mr. Acheson said. first was whether furnish them arms, and "our answee to that was an emphatic no." Secondly, whether to at tempt to assist political arrange. ment between the Nationalist and Communists, and "our deepmon was that we should assaefforts to reach political settlement which had been initiated not by any United States action the Generalissimo and leaders of the Communist movement.

Misinterpretations

Mr. Achieson also released as charges by Mr. Judd. Th analysis asserted that valiou and had been omitted, either were included, non-existent or un- 239 for six, -- Reuter, available to the Department,

Mr. Achesen did not further claberate on the controversial military intelligence report mentioned by Mr. Judd. However, Department offices were making available copies of the 11-page summary quoted by Mr. Judd and the 474-page original document pointed out some misinter? pretations.

The majority of these appeared to be that the summary went much farther in crediting Russia with aggressive designs in Manchuria and North China than did the original report. One planation was that the summary was prepared by an officer who went beyond summarising and drew conclusions which were not in the original document.

It was understood the Department had seen the original occument but had not seen the summary until today. Department sources contended that the original document bord out their position.—United Press.

PROBABLE RUNNERS IN GIMCRACK STAKES

There are only four probable rey, next month.—Reuter. runners for the valuable Gimcrack States, to be run over six, furlongs at York tomorrow.

They are Pachademis (W.T. Evans); Palestine (Gordon Richards); 'Janus II (E.C. Elliott); played today were: Foxboro (Edgar Britt).

gelding, High Stakes, will probably walk over in the mile and a half Great Torkshire Stakes .--Reuter.

EBOR HANDICAP WINNER

York, August 24. Mr. H. Halmshaw's Miraculous Atom won the Ebor Handicap run over a mile and three-quarters here this afternoon.

worth was second and Sir Eric goals, three tries, two penalty champion, was seeded No. 1 in Cernik has a wife son and Oindinnati Red Chipon's Bonnet o'Blue was third goals and a dropped goal-to a the domestic list for the woman's mother in Prigue Drobny that Others Cent and Sir Eric goals, three tries, two penalty champions is the domestic list for the woman's mother in Prigue Drobny that Others Cent and Sir Eric goals, three tries, two penalty goals—and a dropped goal-to a the domestic list for the woman's mother in Prigue Drobny that Others Cent and Sir Eric goals, three tries, two penalty goals—and a dropped goal-to a the domestic list for the woman's mother in Prigue Drobny that Others Cernik has a wife son and Oindinnati Red others.

| Single | Prince |

- Covye's first over today. Todd hill Cave cleanly to the leg boun- played today were: dary but Cowie was a different proposition. He made the ball lift awkwardly and the Birmingham total was only 8 when Fagg, playing right back touched a

> ball on to his stumps. Todd remained confident turning Tokar to legacic another four and then shought crove Cove, in 45 minutes Cowie conceded only 9

tuns in accent overs. The accurate slow bowling by Barasley Rabone and burtt kept the batsmen so quiet that only 29 runs | Chesterfield same in the fast hour. Acres went Luton at 40 trying a big hit off Rabone being cought by Hadbe, Todd found a partner in Davies and the pair carried the score along un til lunch, Todd then needing four l to complete his 50,

Foreign Committees to talk New Zeidand, Lit hinings 358 Kent, 1st munugs. Todd, not aut

Fugg. bowled Cowie Ames, c. Hadlee, b. Rabone Davies, not out

Total (for two)

Wednesday's Play

Canterbury, August 24. A seventh wicket stand of 140 by Martin Donnelly (68) and λ Sen t (74) helped the New Zealanders to put on 358 in their hist minings against. Kent here today, At the close of play Kent were one run for none, .

Donnelly and Scott brought! he score from 191 for six to 331. top seven in a record stand for the seventh wicket for a New l Zealand touring side.

Mooney (49) had added 49 for National Lawn Tennis Singles the fifth wickel, coming together Tournament starting on August. when the tourists had lost four 29 sickets for 92 runs.

128) and Dovey (three for 67) found opposints. were Kent's most successful All the 64 entrants in the bowlers. Smith and Mooney brought up first-round matches since there!

the 100 after the interval in two are no byes. hours and ten minutes. Dovey Filipmo Felicissimo Ampon due to an ankle injurey to Duke had Mooney leg before when he will play Sidney Wood," analysis of 16 charges of dis. was one short of his 50, and then Pierre Canapele will meet Frank in with great cutokes that nisped the ladians a 3-2 defeat to sweep | Smith was caught behind the Parker, South Africa's Sturgess | China in an effort to refute other wicket, after batting 110 minutes will play. Grant Golden and

Donnelly and Scott forged meet Irving Dorfman. documents which Mr. Judd claim- along quietly, and were still together at tea, when the score was champion, Wood, he is expected

Southampton, August 24, Jimmy Adams, of Wentworth, was the only one of the eight Match and Italy's Gianni Cucelli they took a 13-2 drubbing from Marshall: c. Silvera, Niarhos. Ryder Cup players competing in the Southern qualifying section of the "News of the play which will fill eight blank World" match play champion- places. Winners of the Remy and ship at Stoneham here today Cucelli matches will play each who failed to qualify.

Three other Ryder Cup players, Dal Rees. Arthur Lees and play Arnold Saul and the winner Ken Bousfield headed the quall- must meet the winner of the Bill flers with 135 for the 36 holes. They had splendid rounds today of 68, 66 and 68, respectively. Twenty players with 143 and

better qualified, and four with 144 played off over six holes for meet the winner of the Robert the remaining two places. Tom Haliburton returned a 64 to break the course record set up yesterday by K. Wells with a Jaroslav Drobny, who was the

first round of 65. Flory van Donck, the Belgian Canada's Henri Rochon,--United professional, finished well up Press. round of 69 for a total of 138.

The championship proper will] London, August 24. | be played at Walton Heath, Sur-

RUGBY RESULTS

London, August 24. The results of rugger, games

Rugby League: Barrow 7 Warrington 0; Belle Vue Rangers 13 Lord Astor's seven-year-old Keighley 2; Featherstone Rovers 9 Hunslet 31; Leeds 10 Working- Schroeder, this year's Wim- from the Swisz tournament in ton Town 0; Salford 41 Liverpool bledon champion, was seeded im- which Spanish and German New York Yankses . 73 44 .614 Nil Stanley 7: Whitchaven 2 Widnes 8; Wigan 20 Rochdale Hornets 4; title holder, Richard Gonzales. York 9 Castleford 12,—Reuter.:

ALL BLACKS WIN

The New Zealand All Backs that order above him.

The New Zealand All Backs that order above him.

Parker was followed by it was reported last winter that the Boston team wanted him Drobny said, I am not read the Plam, Dick Seizas and him Drobny said, I am not read the Philippet Seizas and him Drobny said, I a

HOME FOOTBALL

London, August 24. The results of rugger games

FIRST DIVISION 2 West Brom Wolves Arsenal 2 Newcastle Huddersfield 2 Fulbam Manchester U. 3 Manchester C. SECOND DIVISION

2 Southampton 2 Leicester 2 Bury 2 Coventry 2 Grimsby Queen's P.R. 3 Brentford

THIRD DIVISION (South) -0 Brighton Bournemouth 2 Excter Orient Palace: Notts C Norwich 3 Bristol C. Notts: - Milwall 1 Swindon 2 Walsoll Torquay DIVISION (North)

Accrington

Darlington

York | Lancoln Bradford C. Stockport - Carlisie Wresham GLASGOW CUP-1st Round

Third Lanack 4 Partick Th.

Mansfield

Crewe

Draw For U.S. Tennis Tourney

New York, August 24. Foreign stars generally had poor luck in the draw for Earlier, F. Smith (58) and F. Jopponents in the United States

Most of the foreigners drew Douglas Wright (four foil) very tough first-round or second men's Kommungent must play

Chile's Ricardo Balbiers will

berg, in the second round.

Vladimir Cernik of Czechoslovakia will meet Canada's Brendan Macken in the first round and the winner , will play the winner of the Ted Schroeder-Charles Oliver match.

The Frenchman, Paul Remy, will meet tenth-seeded Sam will play an opponent still to be determined by the preliminary other in the second round. India's Naresh Kumar wil

Talbert-Fred -Kovuleski match. Ladislay Hecht (Czechoslovakia) will play an unnamed opponent and the winner will Italy's Feruccio Quintavallo will meet Hugh Stewart and

Abdesalam-Gil Bogley match. 64th name drawn, will play

Ted Schroeder Seeded No.

New York, August 24. the United States tennis cham- | Czechoslovakia." pionship, which begin here next

mediately above the defending players were competing. The biggest surprise of the Drobny said he may play ice Philadelphia Athletics 65 54 E48 draw was the fifth placing given hockey as well as tennis in Aus- Detroit Tieves 67 .86 .818 to Frankle Parker, a former tralia if he goes there. He also Chieses White Sox .. 50 69 .424 champion. Billy Talbert and hopes to get an offer to play Washington Senstons 40 77 .Big

He's Come A Long Way



Friedrich Hofmann of Ulm. Germany, is seen on his water skis on Bavaria's Starnberger Lane. Since 1926 he has covered 25,000 kilometres on the skis he developed and built himself.—AP Photo.

Dodgers Trounce Cards; Yanks Take Drubbing

New York, August 24. New York Boxing Commission rules for the bell had not rung Reckie Don Newcombe, giant fireball flinger with to open the eighth. iron nerves, pitched Brooklyn Dodgers to within one game of the National League lead today when he blanked St. Louis Cardinals, 6-0, with a brilliant six-hitter for the odd soiler from the Bronx, gave Ro-

game of their vital three-game series. Aided by three justy bases empty homers and two highled by the hard punching. spectacular outfield catches, Newcombe never yielded more than one hit in any inning and faced-was unable at any time to and Brian Close took his 100th allowed only one man to reach third base as the did rock him several times, he registered his 12th victory of the season.

awakened Brooklyn batting had a rough day. attack with a single base-elegring double in eighth that gave Dedgers three

The Puerto Rican, Luis Olmo, who was inserted in the line-up Haly's Saider, and Carl Furillo chipped Cardinal offensive threats.

If Ampon beats the former at Boston as Southpaw Warren games out of the first place. Spahn gained his 16th triumph. to play the former National Clay It was the fifth straight win for Court champion. Seymour Green- Boston and the seventh in nine al League and Boston and St. tract. Robinson weighed 1531/2 games since Johnny Cooney be- Louis were idle in the American and Belloise 158. came acting manager.

Two home runs by Westrum and another by Sid Gordon gave Giants a 5-3 win over Chicago Cubs in New York.

The New York Yankees' Longue | Detroit Tigers lead was sliced to two games as

Drobny And Cernik Arrive

New York, August 24. The Czech tennis players, Jaroslav Drobny and Vladimir Cernik arrived by plane today from London for the United States National-Lawn Tennis Tournament.

Both said they planned to play several tournaments in the United States after which Drobny may go to Australia to live, and Cernik hopes to settle in Argen- c. Caragiola. ting or Brazil. Both refuse to return to Czechoslovakia.

Drobny said, "The Government Boston Braves 6 10 would imprison us immediately. Ted Schroeder was today We already have been declared seeded No.1 in the domestic traitors. We never will return so list for the men's singles in long as the Communists' rule

> The trouble began when they refused an order to come home

Gardnar Mulloy were placed in professional hockey in the Unit St. Louis Browns . . . 41 80 .819

He also contributed to a re- | Detroit Tigers. The Yank pitchers At Chicago, Dick Fowler of

Philadelphia Athletics allowed only five hits as he blanked White Sox 5-0. Ferris Fain with a double in the fourth innings and a triple in the eighth drove in three In a night game at Cleveland

the Washington Senators "handed

the two game series. The victory lifted the Senators out of the Third-place Braves marked up American League cellar and left 6-5 win over Pittsburgh Pirates the defending champions still five

The scores were:

AMERICAN LEAGUE New York Yankees 2 10

Yankees: P. Byrne, Sanford, Tigers: P. Houttemen: c. Swift. lan Philadelphia Athlet-

- ics 5 .11 Chicago White Sox Athletics: P. Fowler; c. Astrth. White Sox: P. Gumpert, Surkont: c. Malone. Washington Senators 3 Cleveland Indians ...

Senators: P. Harris, Haynes: c. Early. Indians: P. Garcia, Paige: c.

NATIONAL LEAGUE Chicago Cubs New York Giants ... Cubs: p.' Adkins, Chipman; c. Giants: P. Jones: c. Westrum.

St. Louis Cardinals 8 6

Brooklyn Dodgers ... 6 11 0 Cardinals: P. Brazle, Martin; Dodgers: P. Newcombe; c. Cam-Pittsburgh Pirates .. . 5 9

Pirates: P. Chambers, Sewell, vs J. Bradley and J. S. Landolt. Gumbert: c. McCullough. Braves: P. Spahn; c. Livingston. Major, League baseball standings were:

AMERICAN LEAGUE Heaton, Red Sex 72 47 .0/8

Bailey's Feat--Captures All 10 Wickets Against Lancs

London, August 24.

Trevor Bailey, England fast bowler, today took all 10 wickets for Essex against Lancashire. He is the fourth bowler to perform this feat since the war, and the first English amateur to do so since 1932, when V. Jupp, of Northamptonshire, claimed all ten wickets against Kent. The only other Essex bowler to gain the distinction was H. Pickett, who took all Leicestorshire's wickets in 1895.

Bailey's 10 wickets were taken at a personal cost of 90 runs in 39.4 overs, nine of which were maidens. He clean bowled three of his victims. and had the other seven-cought, three of them behind the wicket.

ROBINSON OVER BELLOISE

New York, August 24. Ray "Sugar" Robinson clinched a shot at the world middleweight title tonight by scoring a technical knockout over Steve Belloise at the end of the seventh

round at Yankee Stadium. A crowd estimated at 30,000 saw Robinson, who already wears the welterweight crown floor Belioisa with a left hook to the chin just before the bell ended action in the seventh. Referee fifth wicket and with Dawkes he Eddie Joseph had waved the put on 75 for the eighth wicket count of five when the bell rang. Belloise was dragged to his corner by his handlers. There he take five for 80. was found to be in such helpless condition that manager Eddic Walker notified the referee that Steve was unable to continue. It was a technical knockout In the seventh round under the

Stiff Competition

Belloise, 30-year-old former binson stiff competition in most of the rounds and the crowd was Belloise-apparently the lardest hitter that Robinson had ever put Sugar Ray on the canvas.

Robinson back pedalled during most of the brawl yet his superior speed and skill enthan Belielse in every session, 80); Middlesex 30 for 2, except the fourth and fifth which Steve won.

In Robinson's 100th professional fight the sleek. negro won the right to fight the winner of the return middleweight title bout between Jake Lamotta and Murcel Cerdan of 400 for 5 (Outschoorn 156 not out, Hamaguchi, Maruyama, Murn-Morocco, to take place here Palmer 130); Northamptonshire Yama and Furuhashi,-Associated on Septembor 28.

Lamotta and Cerdan were interested spectators at the ringside tonight. Robinson and Heltoise scaled beneath the middle-Cincinnati and Philadelphia weight limit of 160 pounds for were not scheduled in the Nation- this bout according to the con-

> Robinson said in his dressing room that he would be willing to give up his 147 pound title In order to accept a shot at the 160 pound crown. However, he admitted that he felt slower tonight at 153% than he dld on July 11 when he scaled less than 147 in order to defend the welter crown against Kid Gaviat Philadelphia.—United

DRAW FOR BOWLS QUARTER FINALS

The draw for the quarter finals of the Colony Lawn Bowls Championship which will be played next week, resulted as

Wednesday, At KBGC J. A. Luz and R. F. Luz vs H. F. Shiglds and W. Williamson, AT KCC

J. Fraser and A. J. Hall vs G. Guterres and J. E. Noronha. AT HKFC K. M. Rumjahn "and S. M

Thursday, At KBGC K. M. Omar and U. M. Omar

Rumjahn vs W. G. McKie and J.

HKCC BOWLS TEAM

The following will represent the Hong Kong Cricket Club in a Lawn Bowls game against the Taikoo Club at Taikoo at 4 p.m. tomorrow. Members who can provide transport are requested to meet the HKCC Chater Road at 3.30 p.m.

D. Phillips, L. R. Wood, A. E. Howkins, A. W. Brown (Skip); F. C. B. Black, A. S. Erson, H. F. Shields, W. Williamson (Skip) A. Graham. R. H. Wild, R. Edwards, V. Prentice, (Skip).

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At Nottingham: Nottingham-J. Sime, of Middlesex, last shire 403 for 7 (Poole 107, Haryear took all 10 wickets for ris 80 not out; Somerset to bat. The East at a cost of 90 runs. At Huddersfield: Gloucesterand in 1946 Erie Hollies, of shire 77 (Cook 5 for 35) and 38

Middlesex still needing a victory to ensure at least sharing the County championship, sent in Derbyshire to but after winning the toss, but the wicket did not play with the expected dif-

runs. J. K. Graveney,

Revill, with a sound 73 not out In three hours, was the mainstay of the Derbyshire butting. With Rhodes he added 45 for the Young bowled splendidly

Lose Opening Pair

Middlesex suffered two blows:

in losing their opening pair, Brown and Robertson, for 26, Brown being out to the second i ball sent down by Derbyshire. Yorkshire maintained championship challenge finishing an eventful cricket against Gloucestershire 46 runs ahead with four of Gloucestershire's second innings wickets klown. Gloucestershire were shot out for 77 in their first innings -their lowest total of the season. G. Cook, the Yorkshire schoolmaster, claimed five for 35, wicket for the senson.

Close Of Play Scores

The close of play scores were At Lord's: Derbyshire able him to do more damage (Revill 73 not out, Young 5 for At The Oval: Warwickshire 232 (Lock 3 for 18); Surrey two

At Clacton: Lancashire 331 (D. Edrich 82, Bailey 10 for 90); Hamaguchi, Shigeyuki Marara Essex 32 for one.

"Everything's been

Warwickshire, dismissed all for 4: Yorkshire 161 (Goddard 6

Nottingham batsmen for 49 for 35). At Swansen: Leicestershire 288 Gloucestershire, earlier, this (Walsh 97); Glamorgan to bat .season took all ten Derbyshire Reuter.

SWIMMERS DON'T LIKE WATER

Honolulu, August 24. Japan's swimming record smashers meet visiting and local American standouts at international swimming meet at Waikiki Stadium on Thursday night. Hironoshin Furuhashi, new

Stack and Wally Ris, two American 1948 Olympic champions, headline the show. The flying fish from Japan had their first workouts in sait water Thursday and Wednesday, and weren't too happy about it.

world sports figure, and Allen

"That salt hurts my eyes" said Furuhashi, "I hope I will get used to it by tomorrow night. I like fresh water better." His five team-mates, too, caine out with smarting eyes. They

said it was their first salt-water workout in ages. The Japanese are entered in two events each day—the 100 200, 400, 800 and 1,500 metras free-styles and the 400 and 200

metre fréé-style rolays.

228 Nugent are set for short distance free-styles and Stack for the Conch Masali Klyokawa of the Japanese team announced these entries for Thursday: 200 metres free-style. Yoshibico.

Hob Gibe, Wally Wolf and Bob

Of the American visitors, Ris,

and Shilchi Murayama. At . Worcester: .. Worcestershire | 800 ... metres - free-style - ralny,

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